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Amaden excels scholastically

Jason Amaden is an advanced student in a 13-year-old body. The 7th grader recently received an award from John Hopkins University Talent Search for southern California gifted students. He excelled in math and verbal talents.

Jason will take algebra in the 8th grade at Foothills Junior High next year instead of the 9th grade when it is usually taught. He has been attending Gooden School in Sierra Madre.

He had taken the SAT tests, never having taken courses in algebra or geometry, and still received a score of 540 out of a possible 800, according to his father, Lee Amaden of Sierra Madre.

Jason was interested in taking advantage of the summer scholarship program sponsored by Johns Hopkins; however, even though his test results were high, he was not accepted for the program. His achievement scores were 97.9.

Jason's father is a real estate appraiser in Sierra Madre and helped his son with the math part of the program. Jason's mother, Connie Crawford, lives with her family in Arcadia. The News ran a story a year ago about her sewing book which was published. She is completing her second book.

How does the advanced student, Jason, fill his time this summer? Playing with the computer in his home. He particularly enjoys video games and explains that his favorite is "Punch Out." He also likes bike riding and bowling with a summer average on the latter of over 160. His winter game suffers a bit because of school but still rides at 156. Jason's strongest game was 246, about what his father bowls after having bowled for years. Jason's into his second year of bowling.

How does he feel about the talent award he received? "It's no big deal."

He would like to be better on the computer, he says, and hopes to attend either Caltech or MIT when it's college time.



Jason Amaden

Weather

	Fahrenheit High	Low	Precip.	Celsius High	Low
July 8	74	61		24	17
July 9	76	59		25	15
July 10	75	60		24	16
July 11	76	61		25	17
July 12	80	62		27	17
July 13	85	64		30	18
July 14	90	63		33	18

Ozone Readings

1987
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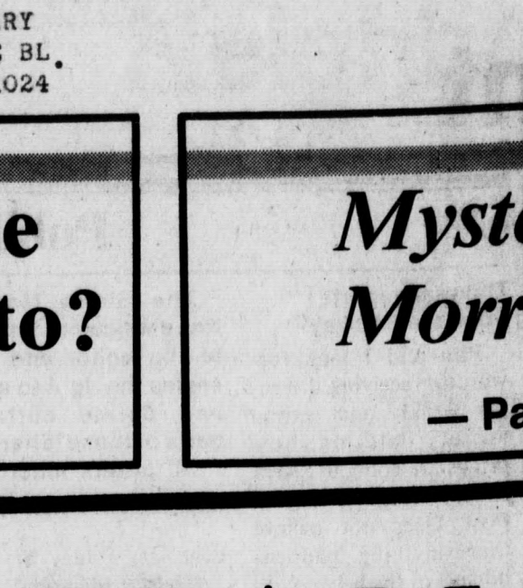
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Rainfall
According to Loren Metzger

Past week:
7/5/87 - 7/11/87 Tr.

Season total
7/1/87 - 7/11/87 Tr.

Last year:
7/1/86 - 7/11/87 .09"



GRIFFITH HONORED — Jeanette Griffith shows here resolution which she received at Tuesday evening's Sierra Madre City Council meeting from Mayor Andrew Roy Buchan. Griffith was lauded for her many volunteer activities, particularly that of heading the July 4 activities committee this year.

Sierra Madre News Photo

Jeanette Griffith receives town's thanks for July 4 activities

Stating she was raised in a town "just like Sierra Madre," Jeanette Griffith explains, "Living in Sierra Madre is just like coming home." Home for her was the town of Palmyra, N.J.

That is the main reason Griffith spends many hours volunteering for all sorts of anonymous jobs around town. That is also the reason she volunteered to head the Sierra Madre Citizens' Committee for July 4th Activities.

"We owe it to our families to continue tradition. We cannot give in to insurance problems caused by society. We can't give in to that element of society that would have us cease these familiar activities," Griffith told The News.

The committee, comprised of less than 10 souls who wanted the Fourth of July activities to continue this year, met monthly and was made up of only two who have been on the annual committee before. The rest were neophytes.

"We have already started next year's plans and our first meeting is August 19, 7:30 p.m. at city hall. Anyone who would like to join us is very welcome," Griffith explains.

Why does she volunteer so much, many times for organizations she hardly knows? "Because Sierra Madre has been home since the first time I left New Jersey 22 years ago. And I've only lived in Sierra Madre for six years. When I decided to leave New Jersey, I waited for the July 4th activities to conclude. They had a parade, fireworks, everything. And I got on the road to come west July 7." First she went to the San Diego area, then migrated to Sierra Madre.

Griffith is active in the Sierra Madre Rose Float Association, the only club she belongs to in Sierra Madre. She also volunteered for the Friends of the Library wine taster the past year. And that is only the beginning for this No. 1 Volunteer.

On Tuesday evening the Sierra Madre City Council attempted to thank Griffith for taking over the July 4th activities with a resolution. That echoes the shouts as she walks around town, "Neat job." "Thanks so much for the Fourth." "Tell your friend Jeanette I said thanks." "I've never had such a great small town feeling." "Let's do it again next year."

And we will.

Council sides with majority; passes 2nd reading of ordinance

Doug Berkshire and Herb Shollenberger were the two dissenting voices against a plethora of citizens Tuesday evening. A number of residents urged the Sierra Madre City Council to adopt Ordinance No. 1036 dealing with the duties and organization of the Cultural Heritage Commission which was recently formed.

Berkshire and Shollenberger believe the ordinance is violating property owners' rights when it proposes seeking out landmarks or historic areas in Sierra Madre in an attempt to save them from destruction, removal or alteration.

Berkshire said the acceptance of a landwoner that his or her home is a landmark to be saved "Should be predicated on the willingness of the landowner. If they don't want to participate, it should be dropped.

Shollenberger said, "Everything in town will be a cultural landmark if we wait long enough."

However, Phyllis Chapman led those who opted for the ordinance when she said, "I'm in favor of adopting the ordinance . . . If I were owner of historic property, I'd be custodian of the property . . . Regarding the federal and state inventory of landmark structures, my observation is that cities having preservation ordinances benefit greatly . . . With the amount of development and projection of development here we need to contribute to the ambiance, the quality of life."

Dane Lenton said he lives in a landmark house and Carrie Johnson, speaking for her father, Historical Society President Dick Johnson, said they favored the ordinance. "My only regret is that it wasn't brought up years ago," she told the council.

Jeanne Templeton, Joy Phillips and Joan Reichardt agreed. Phillips said, "Some older homes are coming down, lost to the community."

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Longtime resident Grippi dies

Funeral services, courtesy Sierra Madre Volunteer Fire Dept., for Joseph Samuel Grippi are pending.

Mr. Grippi, longtime fireman in Sierra Madre, died following a heart attack Tuesday morning at Methodist Hospital. He was at Scott Aviation, where he had been employed for 46 years, when he became ill and was transported to the hospital where he died.

Eli Steeley, personnel director at Scott Aviation, said of Mr. Grippi, "He was a fixture here, a very, very dedicated employee. He was also our historian."

Mr. Grippi was ballistics technician at the Sierra Madre plant. He was born Dec. 21, 1913, Joseph Samuel Grippi. He joined the Sierra Madre Fire Dept. June 9, 1944 so he had a total of 34½ years of active service, according to Sierra Madre Fire Chief Ed Tracy.

He was firefighter from 1944 to 1950, engineer, '50 - '70; senior engineer for two years before becoming captain in 1972. He retired as captain in 1979 after having been training officer for 16 years. Mr. Grippi was in charge of Wednesday night drill activities, was chairman of the Fire Department's 50th anniversary committee and was chairman of Engine 41 apparatus committee. He was also a member of the new engine committee. mittee.

He was a member of the San Gabriel Valley Firemen's Association and California State Firemen's Association.

Mr. Grippi had been a resident of Sierra Madre since 1922 and worked at the Sierra Madre News before joining Scott Aviation.

Survivors include a brother, also named Joseph (Joe) of Sierra Madre, a brother, John, of Apple Valley, formerly of Sierra Madre; a sister, Ann Graves of San Jose, and another sister living in Oregon.



Capt. Joseph Grippi

Sierra Madre receives County assistance

Chairman of the Board Michael D. Antonovich reported that, on July 7, the County Board of Supervisors adopted a resolution making $14,504 available to assist the City of Sierra Madre in the maintenance of the City's Select System of Streets.

Ths allocation is a portion of the funds currently budgeted by the Board of Supervisors to assist the cities in the County of Los Angeles in the construction and maintenance of city streets which are of general County interest.

The Board of Supervisors of Los Angeles County is one of the few in the State that provides financial assistance to cities from its gas tax fund. In fact, these funds allocated to cities represent nearly half of the total County highway construction budget.

Party time in park scheduled July 26

Christopher Valencia, chairman of the July 26 "Sunday afternoon in the park" celebration, announced this week that more entertainers had offered their voluntary services.

The party starts at 4 p.m. that Sunday afternoon at Memorial Park and will probably conclude about 7 p.m. Families and groups are urged to get together for the picnic which is set to raise money for the finishing touches for the new band shell in the park.

Irshad and Linda Haque have donated a stay at a Tahoe resort which is the grand prize of the giant drawing that day. Recipients will also enjoy free air transportation to and from the resort.

Tickets will be sold preceding the picnic as well as at the park that Sunday.

Joining in the entertainment that week are the Sweet Adelines who call themselves "Celebrate," a double quartet of women's barbershoppers; Jamie Allen, a guitarist who features folk music; and "The Sierra," a piano/flute duet consisting of Allison Dibley and Toni Austin-Allen. Also entertaining are Michael Deak at the keyboard; a local Sierra Madre quartet called "In the Spotlight," the Sierra Madre City College Band and San Gabriel Valley Men's Barbershop Chorus.

Foothill residents are urged to pack a picnic lunch or partake of the party fare available for sale: chili bellies, hot dogs, beer and assorted sodas.

Comment

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Safety agency seeks public opinion

Los Angeles Area Child Passenger Safety Association (LAACPSA) has learned that their petition to National Highway Traffic Safety Administration (NHTSA) to require installation of shoulder/lap belts in outboard rear seating positions in passenger vehicles sold in the United States has been opened to comment.

The petition of March, 1986, was prompted by the death of a Northern California child using a lap belt and was supported subsequently by the August 1986 recommendation of the National Transportation Safety Board (NTSB).

The public has expressed confusion about the best way to transport rear seat occupants until a final conclusion is reached on this issue. LAACPSA recommends use of safety seats for children until they are both 4 years and over 40 lbs.; the use of safety boosters with upper body restraint for children 4 to 10 years old and 40 - 65 lbs.; and installation of rear seat shoulder/lap belts, using the reinforced location mandated since 1968. To avoid ejection from the vehicle, use available lap belts if none of the steps listed above are possible.

New motorcyclist safety program

The California Highway Patrol announced a major new motorcycle safety program this month, keyed to the objective of "reducing the tragic rate of motorcycle injuries and fatalities," said Commissioner Jane E. Smith.

Smith's words came at a CHP Academy press conference where he described a "twofold goal: to train motorcyclists in the skillful and safe operation of their motorcycles, and to increase the general driving public awareness of motorcycles and the causes of motorcycle accidents."

The campaign is funded by $2 from each new and renewed motorcycle registration in California, as authorized by legislation (AB412, Doris Allen, Cypress) which created the program. "This is the first time that a major California traffic safety effort has been directly financed by the user group which will benefit," Smith said.

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Under the Pepper Tree

by Jan Reed

● We are deeply saddened by the death of a dear friend, Joseph Grippi, fireman and former employee of the Sierra Madre News. He died suddenly Tuesday morning just before press-time.

Joseph spent many hours here at The News, kibitzing about "the early days." He was a walking history book and many unique and little-known facts about Sierra Madre die with him. He was a voracious reader of history books.

We'll miss our little friend very much.

● To happier news, we understand the girls' soccer team came away with an exciting victory in Hawaii. You'll read more about it when we can gather that news for next week's paper. . . we hope.

● This was my week for letters and notes. John Veblen insists that 1920 Model T Fords do not have starters. Don's "T" Henrietta does, John.

According to Don, some of them actually did have automatic starters — it was an option in those days. And that's why Henrietta had an automatic starter that caught on fire.

● Had another letter, this one from Martha Coutant. She was watching a Dodger game and "Ross Porter just said, 'Stubbs was hit on the front foot.' Reminds me of your cute story, re front feet."

Martha was referring to the News filler that Mr. Passage pointed out to us, the one about the bird that had two front feet. Mr. Passage continued the quest for the controversial bird with four feet and, by George, found information about such a bird.

Thanks, Martha, for your fun note.

● We also had a great note from Gardner Thurman who is enjoying Washington, D.C. life. He and Rita are seeing the sights while he is located there, working with the Veterans Administration.

● We read with sadness that Carol Amen who wrote "Testament," the movie that was filmed in Sierra Madre, had died of cancer. We had a brief friendship with her before, during and after the filming and found her to be a very sensitive, great lady. What a waste. . .

● We'd like to remind you all again about the great party coming up on July 26 — the party in the park as a fund-raiser for the band shell. Put it on your calendar and plan to bring a picnic and enjoy all the fun. . .

● Keep your eye on the Flowers by Nobee ad each week because you could be a big winner. For their 10th anniversary, they are giving back gifts each week to foothill residents in the form of free bouquets.

All you have to do is register at their shop just west of Bank of America in Sierra Madre.

Stop in today, register for the free bouquet, and take advantage of their exciting specials each week.

USC families plan summer camping

Reservations for SCamp, a series of week-long summer camping sessions for University of Southern California alumni, parents, faculty, staff, support group members, and their families, are currently being accepted.

Modern ranch sessions are slated for Aug. 9-15, Aug. 16-22 and Aug. 23-29 at River Way Ranch Resort, in Wonder Valley in the foothills of King Canyon National Park.

Prices include food, lodging, instruction and activities like horseback riding, riflery, water skiing, archery, sailing and square dancing. Recreational vehicle hook-ups are available.

Reservations will be accepted on a first-come, first-served basis, for a full week only. All reservations must be accompanied by a $100-per-family deposit and a registration form. To obtain forms, call Carol Thueson at (213) 743-0971.

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The Sierra Madre Search and Rescue Team is looking for outdoorsmen, experienced backpackers and mountaineers with a strong sense of dedication and commitment.

If you are interested in finding out more about becoming a member of the team, please call (818) 304-6848 for more information.

Public Forum

Thurman reports from 'the Beltway'

Rita and I look forward to receiving the paper weekly and getting an up date on how things are going in Sierra Madre. The Washington Post Does not believe that anything happens outside of the beltway.

The school district renewed my leave of absence, so I will be here for at least another year. We are still using the weekends to take in the various sites and events. Went to hear the President last Friday at the Jefferson Memorial. It was very dramatic but hot. Spent the afternoon in Baltimore at the Aquarium.

Missed the home town parade on the fourth but made up for it by sitting on the lawn at the Capitol and listening to the National Symphony and watching fire works over the Washington Monument.

I just completed a Seminar on "Policy and Legislation" which was conducted at the Capitol. The main thrust was to find out how the Congress really works as compared to what the Civic textbooks say.

There is a strong push to make the Veterans Administration an Executive Agency and my boss a Cabinet Member. If this were to occur it would make life even more interesting around here.

Gardner Thurman
Office of the Administrators of Veterans Affairs

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Unhappy about TV rate increase

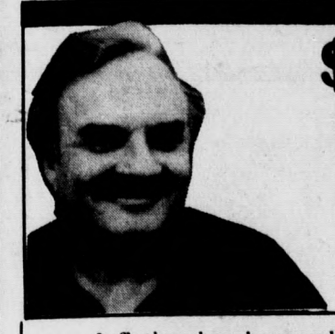
I note that some members of the Arcadia City Council are unhappy with what they describe as a 33% increase in rates by Cablevision. They contend that because Cablevision is a monopoly its rates should be regulated as are those of all other monopolies — our utilities.

Joe Biolsi of Cablevision replied that they are not a monopoly. He stated that they compete with videocassettes, movies, beaches and mountains.

HOGWASH!

What do our councilmen think? And what action should we take?

John E. Veblen



$ense & Dollar$

by Dick Salzberg

Inflation has been called the burglar of the world, because it steals from us all, ruthlessly reducing the value of our money day after day, year after year. Right now there is a pretty lively argument going on between the experts who think we are going into another round of inflation and those who see the recent jump in prices as only temporary.

Well, you pays your money (after inflation) and you takes your choice: today a dollar buys about 1/3 what that same buck bought 20 years ago. For example, $30 now buys the same pile of groceries that $10 got in 1967. In cars, gas and some other necessities the story is much worse: a nice $4000 auto is now about 20 grand, many protest.

Even though inflation has not been much in the news we are now suffering about 5 percent yearly, which is supposed to be low. In two years that's 10 percent less the dollar buys. When the rate jumped up to 7 or so, that means your moola buys 14 percent less in 24 months. Even less if you want imports, because the jump in value of foreign currencies makes that Toyota or BMW much pricier here.

How do you stop this ceaseless fiscal bleeding? There are some classic tricks: borrow money at fixed rates, so that the money you pay back is worth less than the money you borrowed (in deflationary times, when money values rise, pay cash). If you are checking out a new set of wheels, check the resale of the make: some brands, mostly due to inflation, are worth roughly as much when three years old as the car's priced new. But when your pal brags that he sold his car for what he paid three or four years ago, be a buddy and don't remind him that today's spondulix are worth at least 15-20 percent less.

"Always use somebody else's dough, that's how I did it" — Yellow Kid Wiel (in prison for theft). "If you want to know what God thinks of money, just look at the people He gives it to" — Mac Baring.

Police Blotter

Sierra Madre Police answered 109 service calls the past week, among them the following:

— July 7: A stolen vehicle was recovered with the arrest of a male, 14, of Sierra Madre. The auto was stolen in the 400 block of E. Grandview.

— July 8,9,10: No crimes reported.

— July 11: Forced entry was through a window for a burglary in a residential section during the day. Loss is still undetermined. Location was the 600 block of N. Michillinda.

— July 12: Jewelry, TV, VCR and cameras worth $2500 were taken during a residential burglary in the 600 block of Ramona. Entry was forced through a bedroom window.

— July 13: A male, 31, of Sierra Madre was arrested for driving under the influence at Santa Anita and Arno.

EYE WATCH

By Hal Ward, M.D.



Physicians ask about diabetes during the work-up of new patients. Millions of people have it, and they are joined by many thousands of newly diagnosed diabetics every year.

One of the leading causes of blindness in America is a condition called diabetic retinopathy — pathology of the retina caused by diabetes. (Remember that the retina is the postage-stamped-sized area in the back of the eye where images are focused and transplanted by some mysterious photochemical process into messages the brain converts to sight.)

Nearly 70 percent of diabetics whose disease is more than 10 years old will have minor or major vision loss. It is important that diabetics monitor the health of their eyes closely, and that an ophthalmologist be included as a member of their health care teams.

Diabetes is difficult to manage, and patients must work closely with their doctors to control high blood pressure and any other medical conditions that aggravate the diabetes. Control of these factors may extend the period of unimpaired vision.

One of the early signs of vision problems for diabetics is a "dimming" of vision during the day, a temporary condition linked directly to blood sugar levels. Elevated blood sugar levels seem to "trigger" the vision-threatening consequences of diabetes.

Next week's column will explain how this process works.

In a few weeks, I will begin to answer questions from readers. Please send your eye care questions to me at the Sierra Madre News, 9 Kersting Ct., Sierra Madre, CA 91024.

Theme announced for child care

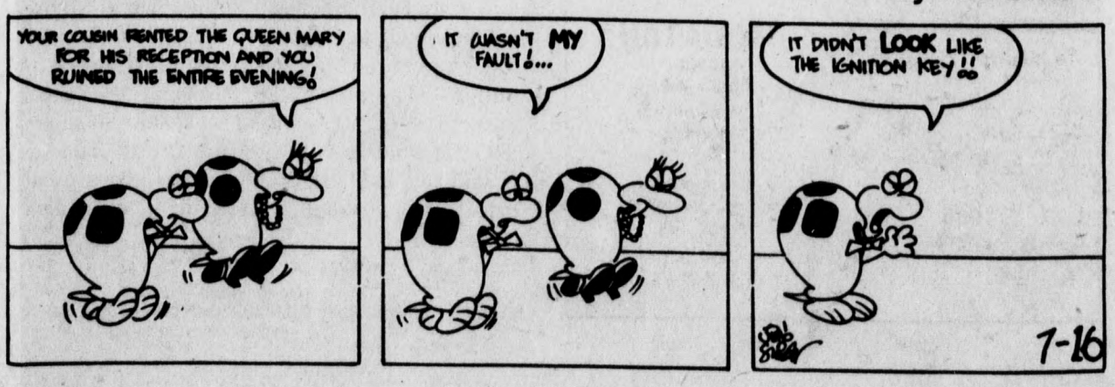
"Sharing and Caring. . .that's what friends are for!" announces the theme for a summer evening supper on July 18 given by the Board of Directors for the Pasadena-based Child Care Information Service.

In keeping with the unanimous support by the City Board of Directors for improving child care in Pasadena, Mayor John and Barbara Crowley are opening their gardens for the CCIS "Special Evening in the Gardens."

Tickets for the event are $15 per person. An invitation is extended to all persons in the community wishing to add their support to the child care issue. For reservations, please call CCIS, 818-796-4341.

Todd & Maude

by Jim Snider



Antonovich requests tougher laws for vicious animals

Chairman Mike Antonovich of the County Board of Supervisors has proposed tough laws to "tighten controls of vicious animals" and impose "severe penalties on dog owners who use these animals for illegal purposes.

"This one-two punch will punish the guilty, protect the innocent and prevent animals from being turned into death-dealing creatures," Antonovich said.

Calling the Pit Bull "more destructive than the German Shepherd or Doberman Pinscher," Antonovich said the Pit Bull's method of biting "is to bite, hold and tear, as opposed to just biting and holding."

However, Antonovich made it clear that "we must not concentrate on a particular breed, but make animal control laws to apply to all vicious animals.

"Present law is inadequate," Antonovich said. "It allows animal control officers to impound a dog only after a person has been bitten, which is reacting after the fact and not taking preventive measures."

Nicholsons have son

A son, Bryce Clinton, was born to Frances and Michael Nicholson of Pasadena June 25 at Huntington Hospital. The child weighed 8 lbs. 5 oz. Both parents are teachers in the Pasadena School System.

Grandparents are Mary Cogswell Baum, Altadena, Frank Baum of Sierra Madre and Eleanor Nicholson of Daly City. Bryce Clinton is the first grandchild on both sides of the family.

Caregivers needed for USC study

Live-in caregivers of Alzheimer's disease patients are needed for a University of Southern California study. The "Caring Home" Project, a free home-modification project, involves making selected modifications in the home, then determining how the changes affect the caregiver.

Caregivers must live in the same home as the Alzheimer's patient and be the primary care provider. The patient must have had a complete neurological examination, including either a CAT scan, PET scan or MRI. The patient cannot be bedridden and must have had a complete medical examination within the last six months.

For more information call Eileen Heffernan at (213) 743-6806 or (213) 743-5981.



LOCAL PEOPLE ATTEND JPL OPEN HOUSE — Those from Sierra Madre and surrounding areas who attended the open house at JPL June 6 and 7 included Pat Murphy, Joe Murphy, Deane Damon, Carol Goodheart, Hesta Damon, Dorothy Murphy and Milt Goodheart. The Murphys are from Sierra Madre, the Goodhearts from Hemet and the Damons from Glendora.

For older adults

Volunteers ages 55 or older who suffer from depression are needed for tests of anti-depressant medications being conducted at the University of Southern California School of Medicine.

Qualified persons will be treated over a six- to 12-week period. Some younger individuals may also be treated.

Symptoms of depression include a loss of interest or pleasure in daily activities, difficulty in remembering or concentrating, fatigue, feelings of guilt or worthlessness, moderate weight loss and sleep disturbances.

To make an appointment call Mary Zemansky at (213) 224-5463 from 9 a.m. to noon or from 1 to 4 p.m.

Maternity tours at Methodist

Parents-to-be can tour the maternity services at Methodist Hospital on the 2nd Wednesday of the month at 2 p.m. or the 4th Wednesday at 6 p.m. The fourth Wednesday tour will not be conducted during November or December.

Call (818) 574-3475 for more information.

Bird feeder

A mailbox on a smooth, thin pole, makes a good catproof bird feeder.

Highest city

The highest city in the U.S. is Leadville, Colo. It's nearly two miles above sea level in the Rocky Mountains.

Mah Jongg early game

The popular game of Mah Jongg was played in China as early as 500 B.C.

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Council sides with majority

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Reichardt stated, "The intent of the ordinance is for the Cultural Heritage Commission to have a chance to talk with owners of the (landmark) buildings who wish to tear them down or remodel."

Jay Whitcraft described the town's historic character as "something precious" and Arthur Artinian, chairman of the Homeowners and Residents' Association, noted that Dr. Stanton's home (another historic landmark) is in his neighborhood and "the whole street has taken more pride; it is a definite asset."

Lee Cline wants to "maintain the heritage of the city"; Jennie Kistner is "very much for the ordinance" and Margaret Buckner noted that Sierra Madre School was saved from destruction years ago.

Judy Young, Shirley Rosenkranz, Midge Morash and Phyllis Bennet spoke fondly of living in Sierra Madre where there is a mix of old and new architecture.

Councilmembers voted unanimously to place it on second reading by title only and wait until the next meeting (July 28) for final adoption.

If it passes, the ordinance establishes the purpose, duties and membership of the Cultural Heritage Commission. It also provides the framework for the establishment of a certified local government historic preservation program, a landmark register and various landmark districts.

The possibility of drafting a city-wide tree preservation ordinance, suggested by City Councilman Clem Bartolai, breezed past handily as did the request of a public hearing for the rate increase request of Western Waste Industries. The rate increase is for 7 percent, requested because the County Sanitation District has increased dump fees from $7 per ton to $9.50 per ton. The public hearing is set for July 28.

Irene Jackson and Mrs. Frank Kuchenski implored the council to see that the landscaping in the assessment district of Fane Street/Windwood Lane be brought back to life and maintained properly. They reported that the parkway is dead weeds and that the sprinkler system does not work much of the time.

Councilwoman Lisa Fowler moved for adoption of Resolution 87-22 to levy an assessment of $23.61 per parcel and to see that not only is the landscaping maintained but that it be put back into proper shape, as Councilman Clem Bartolai suggested.

Mayor Andrew Roy Buchan said, "And if the money (for planting, sprinklers and maintenance) runs short, we'll add to it for next year by adding to the assessment."

Both Mayor Pro Tem Sam Simpson and Councilman Bruce Crow complained about the city budget deficit when the Sierra Madre Fire Dept. brought before the council their request for $1188.38 for a cellular phone to be installed in the new command vehicle that has just arrived. Those councilmen also voted against the outlay; however, it passed, 3 to 2.

Crow also suggested not purchasing a new copy machine for city hall and the other members agreed with him.

Concerning budget problems, Crow suggested study sessions for Tuesday, July 21, and Wednesday, July 29, both from 5 to 7 p.m. The others agreed.

In other business, Councilman Bartolai noted that Cablevision had not provided a basic security system as was written into the cable franchise in 1982. Cable Manager Joe Biolsi explained that the cable company was not in that business, that residents could find a less expensive system.

Bartolai said, "Maybe we could negotiate out the basic security system for something else."

Julia M. Gottesman was appointed to the Sierra Madre Beautification Committee by Mayor Buchan with assent from the rest of the council.

Sierra Madre Planning Commission Agenda
July 16 — 7:30 p.m.

Continued public hearings:
46 & 48 Esperanza Ave., Ohannes Khazadian, variance for townhouse;
159 E. Laurel Ave., Eddie & Linda Truman, and Jerry & Kathleen Truman, to develop 2nd dwelling in R-3, Density Bonus requested;
21 W. Grandview Ave., Adam Kolawa, review of plans to construct carport;
419 Sycamore, E. J. Alfrey review of plans to construct single family dwelling.
Public hearings include:
351 Foothill Ave., Sukum Sai-ngarm & Linda Foshagen, side and rear variance to construct a garage;
39 & 49 W. Orange Grove Ave., Tentative Tract Map 44105 and Variance;
1216 W. Grandview Avenue, James Garcia, side yard for garage conversion, carport and deck.
Continued nuisance abatements include:
260 Churchill Glen;
232 East Montecito, Luis David Corrales;
564 Sturtevant, Roy Thorson;
404 Forest Lane, Thata Enterprises;
Hearing on new nuisance abatement:
90 Rancho Rd., Richard Robison, Resolution of Intention.

Notes from the Attic

By Gertrude Gerke

— July 17, 1952: Best Speech laurels went to Art Ritterrath, president of Sierra Madre Toastmasters Club. . .A new Boys Club has been formed in Sierra Madre. They were allowed to use the pool at Fred Richter's home and the swimming pool at Richard Thayer's. . . Edgar Erwin Buckholtz has graduated Cum Laude from USC. . .Pfc. Norman Morrison left by air Monday for his new assignment in the U.S. Marines.

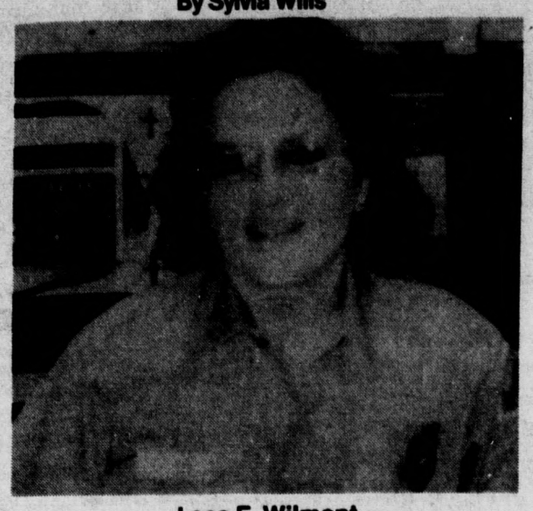
— July 12, 1962: Sierra Madre Coffee Shop reopened with Mike and Diane Jeide as owners. . .Sturdy bloodhound Tuffy will be out of action for a month due to severe lacerations of his four paws while tracking Pvt. Dumpter who was lost in the desert near Barstow. . .Alan E. Lowe and Charles L. Toms are serving aboard the attack aircraft carrier USS Oriskany in the Western Pacific. . .Bill Willingham opened an office machine and sales store last Thursday.

— July 14, 1977: CLIMB will provide blind new type independence according to William Young, director of the facility. The sign out front could well have read "unique" for the present use of the former Parkwood Convalescent Hospital. . .Sierra Madrean Earl E. Pearson has been promoted to the rank of Captain II and assigned to the Fire Prevention Bureau, North Industrial Unit. He has been a member of the L.A. City Fire Dept. for 30 years.



Salute to City Hall

By Sylvia Wills



Leas E. Wilmont

On Tuesday, April 28, a fire broke out on Fairview Terrace and Leas E. Wilmont, the newest member of Sierra Madre's 43-member Volunteer fire department, was there.

Leas works for the city in the capacity of a fire department secretary/EMT. On the average day this youthful looking woman answers incoming calls and files emergency medical systems reports. She is also responsible to respond to any ambulance assistance calls. Trained as an emergency medical technician, Leas has done ambulance work since 1979.

"When I receive a call I always wonder what I'm going to find. But I have found that no matter what the situation is it's only after the call that I can really sit down and think, and say 'wow'!

"In every situation I have to watch myself and make sure to keep cool," Leas says. It is extremely important to even watch what she says to her colleagues. "When I receive a call I think to myself, 'what do I need to do in order to correct this problem.' I try to look at the patient as a machine so I do not let myself get caught up in how gory the situation is."

Leas says she learned this technique from her first EMT class at Monterey Penninsula College.

Originally from Carmel-by-the-Sea, Leas moved to Sierra Madre in 1979. She had learned about the city's fire department through some of its members she has met while attending California State Firemen's Association events. Falling in love with Sierra Madre, she decided to move here. "It is very much like the town I grew up in, minus the tourists! I'm really settled here."

CPR course offered Aug. 8

Methodist Hospital will offer a Saturday cardiopulmonary resuscitation CPR course to community participants on Aug. 8 from 8 a.m. to 3 p.m. The course teaches CPR for adults, children and infants and management of the obstructed airway. An American Heart Association certificate is issued at the conclusion of the course. For registration and tuition information, contact the Department of Education at (818) 574-3473.

Vessey graduates

Corinne Louise Vessey, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Jerry Vessey of Sierra Madre, graduated from the University of California, Davis, with a Bachelor's Degree in wildlife and fisheries in biology. She is also a graduate of Alverno, High Point and Ascension.

Jansky receives D.D.S.

Wendy Jansky, formerly of Sierra Madre, daughter of Carolyn Jansky and the late Daniel Jansky, graduated from the School of Dentistry, University of the Pacific in San Francisco, with a Doctor of Dental Surgery degree. Dr. Jansky is a graduate of Alverno and St. Rita's Schools in Sierra Madre.

The Janskys, formerly of Sierra Madre, were very active in the Rose Float Association. Carolyn is now residing in Fountain Valley.

In case of brush fire . . .

If a major brush fire endangers your home, you can help protect your property in the following ways: Remove all vehicles from the street and driveway; place combustible garden furniture, bamboo screens, awnings, etc. in the garage; close all doors and windows, including those in the garage; wet down shingle roofs and shrubbery around your dwelling; keep your family together; turn the lights on.

Old Fashioned

Tips, Tales & Tantalizers

A friend was giving me advice and told me that if I did not believe her, she would eat her hat. Well, to say the least, she does not wear hats, and why on earth would I want to eat a hat?

This old expression has puzzled me since I first heard it. Of course, curiosity and hunger have made men eat almost anything. We all know about cannibals. And the French enjoy horsemeat. The aborigines ate grubs, either rolled in warm ashes, or raw. However — a hat?

People, I will admit, often do things for attention, amazement, incredibility and to impress someone. However, eating one's hat to me is just a good cause to keep plenty of antacid on hand.

But, after a bit of research I found the answer about hats in my cookbook, believe it or not. Now, this cookbook is old, but it says that there is a dish of eggs, veal, dates, saffron, white pepper, salt, currants, and so forth. The name of this delicacy? "Hattes."

So, all in all, I guess through time, we imaginative people decided that eating a hat or "hatte" was not so bad after all. Would someone please pass the antacid?

Gaylee Muschett

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From Twain

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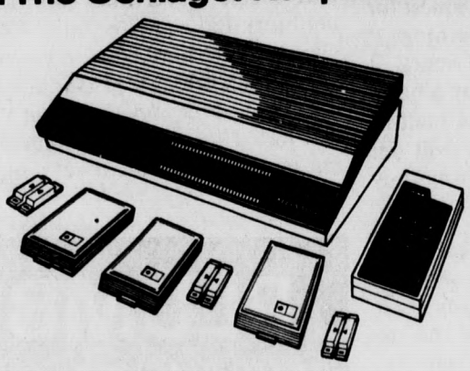
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Convention in July about paralysis

The Spinal Cord Society (S.C.S.) 1987 International Convention will be held July 23 and 24 at the Red Lion Inn, 18740 Pacific Coast Highway near the Seattle-Tacoma International Airport, Wash.

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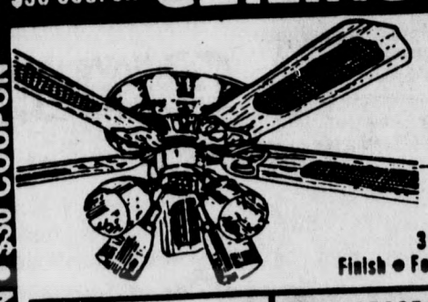
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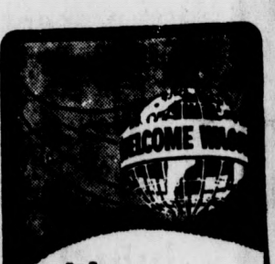
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By Roy Thorson

In Sierra Madre lives a refined gentleman by the name of Sterling Ripple, a man who has seen comings and goings for many, many years, mostly goings.

On workday mornings, at 9 a.m. he holds court in a local restaurant, listening to reports on goings on in the city, giving advice and help to the problems of citizens of our esteemed community.

The other morning I confided to him a great problem and no help in sight.

"Mainly it's this — pipeline contractors are putting new water lines in 'The Canyon' Streets are torn up, dirt lying loose for weeks," I explained.

With tears in my eyes I described the complications, "Reminds me of my boyhood days in the dust storms of the 1930s in North Dakota."

"Furthermore," I said, "dirt layers several inches thick lie in the streets, cars go speeding by stirring up the dust. It seeps into the house. It covers all the furniture. The plates in the kitchen are covered with grit."

"I know it's tough," Sterling said.

"What can we do?" I implored him.

"There is nothing we can do just yet," Sterling assured me. "But one of these days there will be an accounting."

"What we're dealing with, is the incredible stupidity of city hall."

"How come?"

"It's the way they write contracts."

"I still don't understand."

"Well, here's this company. They know a pipeline job will take 39 days. So they sign a contract with the city of Sierra Madre giving them 139 days to get the pipe all in the ground and completed."

"I understand that," I said, "But what happened?"

"What happened is this," Sterling went on. "They worked reasonable well for 38 days. They knew it would only take one more day to get the job done."

"What did they do?" I asked.

"They went to another job and are working on that project. They have 100 days more to finish in Sierra Madre and are in no hurry. So we live in dust and the water line contractor takes his own sweet time."

"Is the mayor responsible for a contract like that?"

"I don't know."

"How about the city manager?"

"He might be."

Sterling was lost in thought for a minute. Finally he turned to me with fire in his eyes, pounded the table and said, "I don't know who is responsible for this mess. But when I find out the guy in city hall that is responsible, will I ever land on that so-and so."

Recipes from Chuck Haynes' cook book

Chuck Haynes, host at the recent Sierra Madre Chamber of Commerce mixer, promised he would share his recipes from the mixer with us and they are as follows. Thanks, Chuck. Ed.

Crab Rollups

20 slices white or wheat bread (1 lge. loaf)
½ lb. Velveeta cheese
1 lb. butter
2 cup, 6½ oz. fresh crab meat flaked
Sesame seeds (2 jars)

Trim crust from bread, flatten bread out with rolling pin.

Melt cheese and ½ lb. butter in sauce pan over low heat. Let cool.

Stir crab meat and dash of cayenne (red pepper) into the melted cheese and butter. Spread mixture on bread slices and roll up (like a jelly roll).

Melt 1 cup butter (more, if needed) brush bread rolls with melted butter and roll in sesame seeds.

Place seam side down on greased cookie sheet, cover and freeze. Cut rolls in quarters of finger width. Slightly separate and bake 400 degrees, 15 min. or until golden brown or done.

Holiday Hungarian Ryes

1 lb. pork sausage
1 lb. ground beef
2 lb. Velveeta cheese
Paprika
½ t Worcestershire sauce
1 t Oregano
2 loaves party rye bread
½ t garlic powder

Brown the sausage and ground beef in separate skillets. Drain together in a colander. Put both meats in a large sauce pan (I use an electric fry pan, it works great), break up cheese into meat. Slowly melt cheese and then add seasonings. Spread on bread slices and sprinkle with paprika. Place on cookie sheets and freeze, then package into plastic bags until needed. Will last frozen for up to three months. Bake frozen at 350° for 15 to 20 minutes. Yields 50 appetizers.

Chip and Dip Mexican style

½ lb. ground beef
½ lb. chorizo
2 #1 cans refried beans
1 4 oz. can diced green chils
1 medium onion chopped (if desired)
2 to 3 cups shredded jack cheese
¾ cup taco sauce

Spread beans in bottom of shallow pan. After meat is cooked sprinkle over beans. Spread chilies over meat and top with cheese. Drizzle taco sauce over cheese, cover and chill. (Even overnight will not hurt). Bake uncovered at 400° 20 to 25 minutes. Garnish with sliced black olives or guacamole.

Serve tortilla chips (for dipping).

These three appetizers can all be prepared ahead of time. They will take some last minute baking, but on the whole, most of your work is done. Bon appetit!

Nominees needed for advisory council

Nominations must be submitted by July 31, 1987, to the California Desert District Manager, Bureau of Land Management, 1695 Spruce Street, Riverside, CA 92507. Each nomination must include: name of the nominee; work and home addresses and phone numbers; biographical sketch with work and public service records; and, the specific category or interest area in which the nominee is best qualified to offer advice and counsel.

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Be on guard for infected squirrels

The Los Angeles County Department of Health Services reports that the first episode of sylvatic (animal) plague this year has been identified in a ground squirrel collected on a vacant lot in Agoura Hills.

Sylvatic plague is endemic to the Santa Monica mountains and affects wild animals, especially ground squirrels. It is a bacterial infection and can be transmitted to humans through the bite of an infected flea. In humans, the disease usually occurs as bubonic plague.

Plague symptoms in humans include enlargement of lymph glands (buboes) near the flea bite area followed by rapid onset of fever with chills. If untreated, bubonic plague often progresses to septicemia and plague pneumonia, which can be fatal. If diagnosed in time, it is curable with antibiotics.

For additional information regarding plague or to report observations of dead squirrels, telephone the Vector Control Program of the Department of Health Services at 974-7859.

Elderly call Helpline for eye care information

Potentially blinding eye disease can be treated effectively if detected early, a fact that 10,022 elderly California residents have discovered through the National Eye Care Project (NECP).

Volunteer California ophthalmologists have uncovered: 1346 cases of cataracts, 124 cases of glaucoma, 290 cases of macular degeneration and 55 cases of diabetic retinopathy among elderly California residents who have called the toll-free Helpline, 1 (800) 222 EYES, (3937), to receive assistance through the NECP.

Dodges serve together

The first father an son to serve at the same time in the U.S. Senate were Henry Dodge of Wisconsin and his son, Augustus Caesar Dodge of Iowa. They served from 1848 to 1855.

Less radioactivity

A study shows water softeners reduce radioactivity in drinking water.

Video cassette

The video cassette recorder was invented in 1961.

Retirees need to check with SS

By Joann Hughes
Social Security
Manager in Arcadia

People who plan to retire in the near future naturally are concerned about howe much they might receive from Social Security once they retire, Joann Hughes, Social Security manager in Arcadia, said recently.

Social Security can provide an immediate answer to this question for people 60 and over. All they have to do is call the Los Angles Teleservice Center at (818) 257-7100 (toll-free from Pasadena) or (818) 575-7963 (toll-free from other cities in the San Gabriel Valley).

People under 60 can also get an estimate of their benefits, but it will take a little longer. Those in this group can obtain a free form, "Request for Statement of Earnings," fill it out and mark it to show they want a benefit estimate, and mail it. In return, they will get the information they want.

A retired worker of his or her spouse can get full monthly payments if they wait until 65 to start receiving benefits. The length of time a person must have worked in employment or self-employment covered by Social Security to be eligible for benefits depends on the person's year of birth.

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"Charles Darwin: A Portrait Biography" opens July 15 at the California Museum of Science and Industry CMSI) in Los Angeles. It continues through Oct. 26 in Discovery Gallery.

The exhibition examines Darwin, the pioneer naturalist and developer of a theory of evolution.

Bank Playhouse

The Bank Playhouse presents the premiere of an original work, "When I Was a Kid Back in Indiana," at the Webb Theatre in San Marino, July 17.

Shows run Thursday, Friday and Saturday at 8 p.m., and Sunday at 3 p.m. for a seven-week run.

Please call the following number for reservations (213) 681-3357.

Astronaut evaluates space program

Astronaut Dr. Michael Fisher, who participated on two space walks during a 1985 mission, will share his observations on the plans, goals, and purposes of our national space program, including our space shuttle missions, in a talk at the Natural History Museum of Los Angeles County on Sunday, July 19. "Journey Through Space: An Astronaut Looks at His Frontier" will be in the Jean Delacour Auditorium at 3 p.m. Admission is $5 for museum members and $6 for nonmembers. The museum is located at 900 Exposition Blvd. For more information, please call (213) 744-3335.

Chamber Music

The Almont Ensemble opens a new, free concert series at the huntington Library, Art Collections, and Botanical Gardens in San Marino on July 20, 8 p.m. at Friends Hall. Admission and parking are free.

'Botany — from Myth to Method'

Assistant curator of the Huntington Botanical Gardens James Folsom will discuss the special exhibition at the Huntington Library entitled "Botany — from Myth to Method." Folsom will speak on Tuesday, July 21, at 2:30 p.m., in the Overseers' Room of the Entrance Pavilion.

Show at Queen Mary

More than 75 top exhibitors from England, France, Germany, Australia, Israel and 20 U.S. states will convene at The Queen Mary in Long Beach, Friday, July 24 through Sunday, July 26, for the Long Beach Antique Show & Sale, and at The Hollywood Palladium, Thursday, July 30 through Sunday, Aug. 2 for the Hollywood Antique Show & Sale. Admission is $5. Hours Friday and Saturday are 1 p.m. to 9 p.m., Sunday, noon until 6 p.m.

A $100-per-person champagne exhibit preview at the Hollywood Palladium on Thursday, July 30, 7 p.m. to 10 p.m., will benefit the Hollywood Historic Trust, and the Permanent Charities Committee. Ticket information for the benefit is available by calling the Hollywood Chamber of Commerce at (213) 469-8311.

'When I Was a Kid . . .'

The Bank Playhouse presents the premiere of an original work, "When I Was a Kid Back in Indiana," at the Webb Theatre in San Marino, opening Saturday July 25 for a six-week run. "When I Was a Kid Back in Indiana" shows Friday and Saturday at 8 p.m., and Sunday at 3 p.m.

For reservations call (213) 681-3357, between 8:30 a.m. and 5 p.m., Monday through Friday.

On Stage

By Mary Cogswell Baum

One of the joys of summer in the southland is the number and variety of theatrical productions available almost anywhere you happen to be and the San Gabriel Valley is no exception.

Consider the Sierra Madre Players who are finishing a run of "Murder on the Nile" and about to produce a classic comedy, "Life With Father," a tribute to the turn-of-the-century family, where men ran things and women did as they were told, or did they?

Consider the La Canada Players, now transferred to the Basement Theater at the First Congregational Church in Pasadena, with a juicey murder mystery, "Murder in Company," starting July 17.

Consider the Broadway Playhouse in San Gabriel where "Happy Birthday, Wanda June" by Kurt Vonnegut, Jr. opens July 24.

And by now you should be aware of the series at Citrus College where you can have dinner before the show, and, very soon, the Summer Theater at Occidental College will start its elaborate repertory schedule of "Taming of the Shrew," "Arms and the Man," and "Camelot," end with "I Do, I Do" starring Alan and Kathy Freeman thrown in. You can have dinner there too, but you bring it yourself. There are few pleasanter places to spend a summer evening than in their lovely outdoor theater.

What are the advantages of these theaters? All the above are much less expensive than theaters in Los Angeles, offer generally excellent productions, free parking, and short travel times.

Devotees of the Bank Playhouse will be glad to hear that Nathan Roth is at it again with a play he has written himself, "When I Was A Kid Back in Indiana," "a comedy-drama of a doctor's coming of age surrounded by a Greek chorus of his patients." This opens on July 25 for a six-week run at the Webb Theater in San Marino. For information about that call (818) 795-4279.

Griswold's "The Music Man" continues at LA prices but you get a lot for your money and the parking is still free. The Pasadena Playhouse after its extended run of the wildly popular "Mail" has a new two-person play called "Handy Dandy," and you have to pay to park unless you can find a place on the street, but everybody should be pulling for the playhouse anyway. That beautiful little theater with its famous history is a sentimental favorite with a lot of Valley theater goers.

Television may be cheaper and movies more spectacular but nothing beats the conspiracy between an audience and a set of actors to create, cooperatively, a world of their own with real, live flesh and blood people in it and an emotion that builds appreciation as no canned experience can.

Oh, yes, there are goodies in Los Angeles too, but that's another column.

Playhouse auditions open July 26 - 27

Director Dave Nicolson announces individual readings for the Neil Simon comedy, "Prisoner of Second Avenue," to be held at 2 p.m. July 26 and 7:30 p.m. July 27, at the Sierra Madre Playhouse, 87 West Sierra Madre Blvd.

Nicholson is well known in the San Gabriel Valley for his work in many local theatres. His degree in directing is from the Pasadena Playhouse.

There are roles for two men and four women, ages 35 to 55. Actors are requested to bring photo and resume. For further information, please call (818) 578-1227.

Pacific Dance Centre offers program

Pacific Dance Centre with the Sierra Madre Parks and Recreation Department will be offering a program for children this summer emphasizing dance and art. Patricia Farmer, a professional dancer from New York and owner of Pacific Dance Centre will be direting the dance portion of the program. Margaret Johnson, head of the art department at Mayfield Senior School in Pasadena, will be instructing the art classes.

The Fine Arts Summer Camp allows students the opportunity to jump both physically and mentally into the world of color and form. Here are discovered the possibilities of imagination, the designs of nature, and the beauty of movement. With the help of the "Magic Wand," children will express their creativity in art and dance.

Space is limited to 15 students per class. Classes are open to children from 4 to 14 yrs. of age and are divided according to age groups. Art and dance classes meet twice a week on Monday and Wednesday mornings from 10:30-12:45. Students need to take a sack lunch.

Information and class reservation is available by callin Pacific Dance Centre, 355-9342.

View of Hope '50' Sox Hop

San Gabriel Valley nostalgia buffs will boogie back into time at the '50s Sox Hop sponsored by the View of Hope Chapter for the City of Hope on July 18 at 2211 South 8th Ave., Arcadia.

The evening starts with cocktails at 6 p.m. and dinner at 7 p.m. The program will include a dance contest, a hula hoop contest, a raffle, and other activities. A $15 donation per person is requested. "View of Hope members are couples over 40 years of age" chapter president Dianne Hoffman said. The public is invited. For information call Gretchen Robbins, (818) 358-9333.

New IMAX exhibits shown

The new California museum of science and industry, 700 State Drive, Exposition Park, Los Angeles. Free, hands-on and user friendly exhibits and attractions, including new Earthquake Exhibit, IMAX Theater, Mark Taper Hall of Economics and Finance and exhibits at the Howard F. Ahmanson Building. (213) 744-7400. Open 10 a.m. to 5 p.m. daily. Admission free except Mitsubishi IMAX Theater. Ample parking.

Guest exhibitions include:

- The Great American Ice Cream Experience, about the cold facts of America's favorite dessert, through Sept. 8.
- Aerospace Months, featuring special aerospace exhibits marking the 18th anniversary of the lunar landing, through Sept. 7.
- Splice of Life, features hands-on exhibitry on genetic engineering, through Sept. 8.
- IRAS, Our Eye in Space, focuses on stirring infrared Galactic photographs beamed to earth by astronomical satellite, through Nov. 2.
- Universe of Inner Space, featuring a scanning electron microscope, through Aug. 31.

Now on showing at the Mitsubishi IMAX Theater is Grand Canyon: The Hidden Secrets. For theater prices and schedules, call (213) 744-2014.

Anniversary celebration at Pasadena Christian

As part of its 40th Anniversary Celebration this year, Pasadena Christian School is currently in the process of developing an alumni association to keep former PCS students and their families in touch with campus activities and programs.

Pasadena Christian School alumni or parents/friends of former PCS students whose addresses and phone numbers the school may not have, are encouraged to contact Bill Greenawalt at Pasadena Christian School (818) 791-1214.

Senior Citizens Club Activities

The Sierra Madre Senior Citizens' Club meets regularly every Saturday in the Senior Center in Memorial Park from 11 a.m. until 3 p.m. Members bring a sack lunch and the club provides tea and coffee.

Membership is open to men and women 55 years of age and older. Dues are $2 per calendar year.

Friday program, 1:30-3:30 p.m. — SEWING CIRCLE making items for patients at Long Beach Veteran's Hospital.

Card games and jigsaw puzzles. An exercise group may be available if anyone is interested.

The club also sponsors trips conducted by Great Western Travel of Pasadena. These trips are open to the public if space is available. For information or reservations, call Verna Hedblom 446-5125 or Dorothy Erskine at 445-5105.

Saturday program — Business meeting, quarterly birthday parties, occasional catered luncheons, sing-a-longs, card games, travelogues and other entertainment.

Senior Menu

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MONDAY — Chopped beef patty with bell pepper, mashed potatoes, sliced carrots, gelatin with fruit cocktail, wheat bread and peanut butter cookies.

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WEDNESDAY — Baked chicken, mashed potatoes, green beans, shredded carrot slaw, baking powder biscuit, pear, banana or melon.

THURSDAY — Turkey a la king, noodles with herb butter, broccoli, cole slaw, wheat bread, and chocolate pudding.

FRIDAY — Roast beef, mashed potatoes, mixed vegetables, cubed beet salad, wheat bread and ranger cookies with oatmeal.

Public invited to recitals July 18

Robert Rios of Sahridaya Piano Studio in Sierra Madre is featuring 20 students in three recitals on July 18 at the Woman's Club House, Essick House.

The free recitals will be at 11 a.m., 2:30 and 5 p.m.

Sierra Madreans who will be participating are Danny Laserna, 15, who attends La Salle, and his sister, Maria, 10, who attends St. Rita's. Both have participated in the state convention of the Music Teachers Association of California in San Jose and received the highest merit award.

The public is invited to the concerts.

Old superstition

An old superstition had it that a newborn baby must be carried upstairs before it is carried down. This act supposedly guaranteed the child would rise in the world and have a successful life.

Symbol of authority

The mace, originally a weapon of the Middle Ages, is today a club-shaped staff used as a symbol of authority. The mace used in the U.S. House of Representatives is about three feet long.

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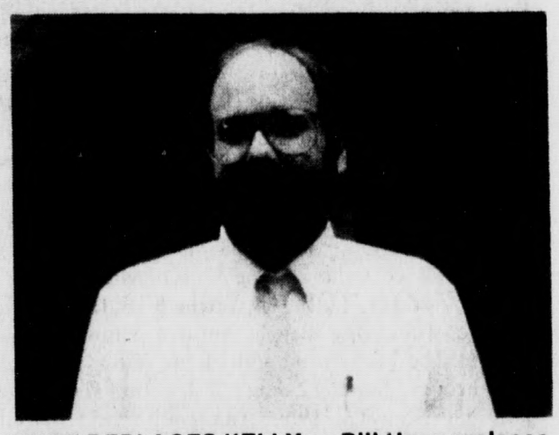
The first Independence Day was celebrated on July 8, 1776 in Philadelphia with bell ringing and brass bands.

Growth continued

Reflecting the relative health of small firms during the recent period of economic recovery, small business borrowing has remained strong over the past few years. While small business borrowing declined slightly during the first three quarters of Fiscal Year 1985 ($70 billion as opposed to $78 billion for the same period of Fiscal Year 1984) small business growth continued at a steady rate.



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REAL ESTATE

First Federal to open Pasadena office

First Federal Savings of San Gabriel Valley has undertaken a major restoration on an historic building, which stands at the corner of Colorado Boulevard and Arroyo Parkway, the gateway to Old Pasadena. This section of the city, the original downtown, has recently undergone considerable restorative efforts. Landmark buildings, once left in disrepair, now feature trendy boutiques and posh dining establishments.

The new First Federal building, at one time occupied by Crocker Bank, was formerly the main office of U.S. National Bank. One of the showpieces of the branch will be the vault, which retains the original vault door dating back to almost the turn of the century.

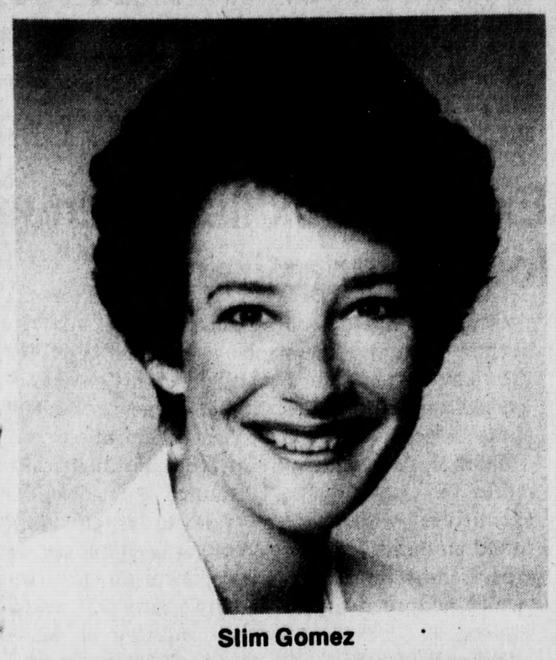
Designers for the project are Helbling-Flanzer Associates of Palos Verdes Peninsula, a real estate, planning, and design consulting firm.

The building features a large parking facility at the rear of the building, a rarity in downtown Pasadena, with attractive planting areas and ample free parking for customers.

An Automated Teller Machine is housed in a new, freestanding building designed to be consistent with the Federalist style of the main building. The ATM structure is located in the parking lot immediately south of the main building, and offers easy access for walk-up customers.

First Federal Savings, which recently celebrated its 50th anniversary, is based in West Covina. The $270 million Association also maintains offices in Arcadia, Hacienda Heights, La Verne, Covina, and City of Industry.

Slim Gomez joins Delahooke & Associates



Slim Gomez

Slim Gomez is the newest member of Delahooke and Associates. She is a new licensee returning to the workplace after a 10-year hiatus as a homemaker. Slim is married and has two children, Megan, 9, and Logan, 2½. The family lives in Altadena after having been Sierra Madreans for seven years.

Slim was born in Seattle and lived in several states before returning to southern California in 1972. She graduated a Regents Scholar, Summa Cum Laude, from Miami Killian High School, and pursues interests in cooking, people, interior design, gardening and skiing. She is also a member of Santa Anita Church.

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Tall kisser

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State raises property values

The State Board of Equalization recently raised property values of California's privately owned public utilities an average 4.7 percent, an increase of $2.9 billion over last year's total of $64.6 billion.

The values for 250 utility firms were set by Conway Collis, chairman; Ernest J. Dronenburg Jr., vice chairman; members William M. Bennett and Paul Carpenter; and State Controller Gray Davis.

If the values adopted this month are sustained when the board makes its final determinations after hearing appeals from some companies, these firms will pay approximately $700 million in local property taxes during the 1987-88 tax year.

The 250 firms appraised by the board own more than percent of all property in the state subject to local property taxation. Their total value is exceeded by the rolls of only four California counties. Utility properties include the holdings of railroad, telephone, telegraph, gas and electric companies, intercounty pipelines, flumes, canals, ditches and aqueducts.

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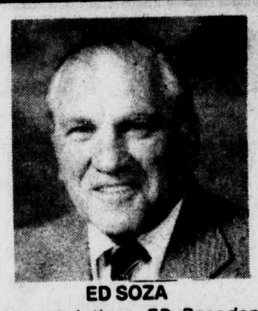
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Religion

Bethany

Dr. Timothy Weber, associate professor of Church History of Denver Colorado Seminary, will bring the message, "From Hiking Boots to Track Shoes," from Hebrews 12:1-3 at the 10:30 a.m. Worship Celebration service. He will also speak at the 6 p.m. evening service, "The Two Debtors," from Luke 7:36-50.

Church School for all ages from nursery through adults will be held at the 9 a.m. hour. Children's Church will correspond with adult worship. Nursery, as always, will be provided.

Bethany Church is located at 93 North Baldwin Avenue. Call Reverend Stan Reed for inquiries or information at 355-1403.

'Prime Time' group meets

The "Prime Time" Singles group of Arcadia Presbyterian Church will host a Sing Along and Newcomer's Social on Sunday evening, July 26, at 7 p.m. in the church Fellowship Lounge, 121 Alice Street, Arcadia. Singles who enjoy singing around the piano are welcome. Any who play instruments are encouraged to bring them and play along to add to the evening's fun. Newcomers are especially welcome. Refreshments will be served.

Congregational

"Don't Hinder the Gospel" will be the subject of Richard J. Anderson's sermon at all three morning services, 8:15, 9:45, and 11:15 a.m. on Sunday, July 19, in the Sanctuary. He will be using I Corinthians, chapter 9, verses 1 through 15a as his scriptural reference.

There will be a baptismal service at 6 p.m. conducted by Jim Zeilenga, Minister of Assimilation and Outreach, in the Old North Church. Childcare provided.

Executive skills continue long after retirement

Does retirement from corporate ranks mean the retirement of executive skills and professional experience?

Not for two recently-retired San Gabriel Valley executives who have found an outlet for their expertise in volunteer service to nonprofit organizations.

James W. Rush of Arcadia and Robert J. Wolf of Sierra Madre have enrolled in nonprofit Executive Service Corps of Southern California (ESC). This organization provides management consulting assistance to nonprofit agencies through its volunteer corps of retired executives and professionals.

Both Rush and Wolf recently retired from Transamerica Occidental Life Insurance Company. Rush served as executive vice president and chief administrative officer. Now through ESC he volunteers his services as a management consultant to an organization serving the psychiatrically disabled.

Prior to his retirement, Wolf was employed as compensation projects administrator. Currently he is utilizing his skills through ESC in conducting wage and salary surveys for two nonprofit organizations — one serving the elderly, and the second serving the developmentally disabled.

According to Robert C. Lewis, ESC's executive director, Executive Service Corps of Southern California has a roster of more than 200 retired executives, and over 100 nonprofit organizations have been served to date.

Lutheran — WELS

Guest speaker for next Sunday will be Pastor James Humann of Pomona. Sunday School and Adult Bible Study will follow. We invite you to be our guests. The Wednesday evening Bible class will resume on Aug. 12. Vacation Bible School will be from August 3-7; 9-11:30 a.m. at Gloria Dei Lutheran Church in Sierra Madre.

We Lutherans believe that already in eternity God chose those individuals whom He would in time convert through the Gospel of Christ and preserve in the faith to eternal life (Eph. 1:4-6; Rom. 8:29-30). This election to faith and salvation is no way caused by anything in man, but shows how completely salvation is ours by grace alone (Rom. 11:5-6). We reject the false and blasphemous conclusion that those who are lost were elected by God to damnation, for God "wants all men to be saved" (I Tim. 2:4). — "This We Believe" —

SS manager urges keeping records up

By Joann Hughes
Social Security Manager in Arcadia

Everyone who works in Social Security-covered employment — and that means almost everyone — should keep his or her records up-to-date. This means reporting changes in circumstances that could affect the person's eligibility for, or the amount of, Social Security payments. Among the changes that should be reported is a change in name.

Many newly married women continue to use their maiden names at their places of employment. A woman who intends to use her married name, however, should report the change to any Social Security office and apply for a new Social Security card. The new card with the same number but with a new name is usually issued within 2 weeks.

To effect a change in name, a newly married woman can use the original or a certified copy of her marriage certificate, showing both her old and new names. If she is foreign born, she will also need proof of United States citizenship or current alien status.

Social Security makes no charge for a name to be changed on its record. Some firms advertise that they will provide this service for a fee; however, Social Security offers this service — as it does all other services — free of charge.

The process can be started simply by phoning our Social Security office. The telephone numbers are (818) 247-7100 (toll-free from Pasadena) and (818) 575-7963 (toll-free from other cities in the San Gabriel Valley).

Volunteers needed to counsel

The Pasadena Mental Health Center, which provides Hotline counseling and low-fee personal counseling, is now taking applications for its volunteer counselor training program.

The year-long training, which begins mid-September, meets 2½ hours weekly, and includes listening skills, crisis intervention, and communication techniques.

Applicants need not have any formal or previous training, but rather an interest in learning how to be a volunteer counselor, call Pasadena Mental Health Center, at (818) 798-0907, 9 a.m. to 9 p.m., Monday-Friday. Applications are available and interview times will be scheduled for late August and early September.

Over half new products

Small businesses have been responsible for more than half of the new products and service innovations developed since World War II.

Aardvark news

The aardvark gets its name from the Dutch for "earth pig." It's nose looks somewhat pig-like, but it's not related.

Garrett's receives state chamber award

Garrett's Monrovia Floral and owners Jennie and Tom Garrett were honored at the Southern California Association of Chamber of Commerce Executives annaul "Business of the Year" luncheon held at the Doubletree Hotel in Orange.

Some 27 businesses were recognized for their outstanding achievements over the years and their support of the chamber and business community.

Jennie and her husband Tom came to Monrovia 37 years ago. They started Garrett's Flower Box 29 year's ago, with $400 and five children. After several years, they purchased Monrovia floral. The business in now called Garrett's Monrovia Floral.

The business has developed so that they now employ two floral designers in addition to a part-time driver and numerous helpers on call. Jennie designs full-time and Tom goes to the floral market each morning and also serves as a full-time delivery person.

The Garretts keep up on innovative trends in the floral industry, but their number one goal has always been customer satisfaction.

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Sanwa Bank

By Joan Reichardt

First National Bank of Sierra Madre, The Bank of Sierra Madre, First Western Bank, Lloyds Bank, and now Sanwa Bank, is the progression the first financial institution of Sierra Madre has moved through beginning before 1900. And since the 1930s, when the bank was situated where Imperial Savings now is located, the paintings of Alfred James Dewey have graced the walls.

Today, Sanwa Bank, at 100 West Sierra Madre Blvd., is a full service bank, offering a range of consumer and commercial loans: including auto, RV, boat, personal, business and home equity. In addition to regular checking and savings plans, the bank offers a "checking 62" account which is free to seniors, and a Market Value Savings account which is interest bearing and has no service charge on a minimum balance of $1000.

Sanwa is currently offering good auto loan rates and will be promoting this with a mini auto show in August, to be held in the parking lot.

Manager of this branch is Elizabeth Even. She began her training 14 years ago with First Western Bank. Liz lives in La-Verne with her cats.

Nancy Longress is the bank's operation's officer. Nancy is married and also lives in LaVerne.

Branch secretary, always ready to greet you, is Beverly Artinian. Beverly lives in Sierra Madre with her husband and two children.

The title of "Office Utility Officer" can only mean that Margie Tosti oversees lots of different things, as well as being senior teller. Margie is married and lives in Pas-

The customer service assistant in charge of loans is Shari Cremers. Shari is married and lives in Azusa.

The following individuals are tellers:

- Diane Smith, who lives in San Gabriel and is married.
- Karen Emerson, is single and lives in Pasadena.
- Ann Esqueda, is married with a 15 month old baby girl. She lives in Azusa.
- Beverly Schwartz, a single gal residing in Sierra Madre.
- And last but not least, Victor Gutierrez, who is also single and lives in Azusa.

All of these nice people are available to assist you between 10 a.m. and 3 p.m. Monday through Thursday and between 10 a.m. and 6 p.m. on Fridays. Don't miss the auto show!

'See California'

Mysterious Morro Bay

The News continues its serial on travel articles entitled "See California" with this piece on Morro Bay. Ed.

Oft fog-shrouded, brooding Morro Bay, northeast of San Louis Obispo on the coast, strikes some as a depressing and dismal sort of place, but it holds for us, a special kind of enchantment — an elemental reaffirmation of the shadowy side of Mother Nature, soothing and restful after brilliant sunshine.

We have savored its quiet isolation as a base camp, striking out to other, more stimulating points of interest in the area and then returning at day's end to its enfolding arms.

Dominated by huge and lowering Morro Rock, the baylet serves as a low-tide haven for millions of sea birds who stalk, paddle and soar above its daily treasury of nourishment — herons, cranes, curlews, ducks and hundreds of others we, as neophytes can appreciate, but not identify.

We stay at the Golden Tee, a golfers' paradise, and spend our time there strolling through majestic eucalyptus groves, where many of the sea birds come to roost, or plying the rock-strewn narrow beach, looking for prizes of irridescent abalone shells among thousands of discards, or sampling delectible sea food in the superior eateries in town.

These bucolic adventures are interspersed with bird-watching as the feathered hoardes venture out into the receding waters each day to catch their fill or just drinking in the shimmering scene of sky, water and approaching fog banks as they tip-toe in on "little cat's feet."

Within a 130-mile radius of this restful refuge are no less than 10 of the old missions: San Miguel, San Antonio, Soledad, Carmel and San Juan Bautista to the north and San Louis Obispo, La Purisima, Santa Ines, Santa Barbara and San Buenaventura to the south.

San Simeon and Hearst Castle are located some 30 miles up the coast and beautiful Big Sur, Carmel Valley and Monterey another couple of hours drive north along Highway 1.

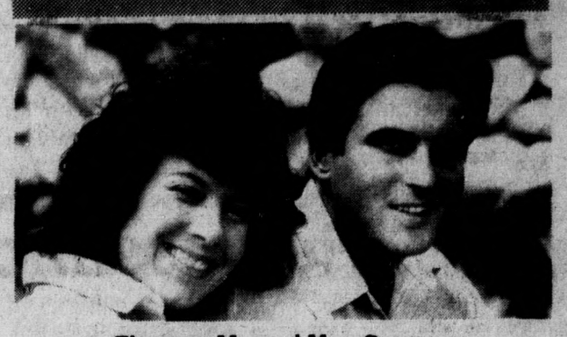
Points of interest to the south include Pismo Beach and its famous clams, Santa Maria, Lompoc, Vandenburg, Buellton, home of split-pea soup and Solvang.

Morro Bay has a magical effect on soul and spirit, banishing all the anxieties and frets, putting one somehow back in tune with God's universe.

It has its darker, even violent side as have most idyllic places. The configuration of the sand bar, juxtaposed with Morro Rock, provides the classic ingredients of the deadly tidal bore, and upon occasion, unwary boats have been capsized trying to run the narrows with tragic results.

We have never witnessed the wild waves, the brutal storms or the awful tragedies, and so Morro Bay remains for us a lovely hideaway from the hectic pace our civilization has set for us. A place to savor the quiet side and sit in the shade apiece, watching and listening as the abiding rhythm of nature underscores the symphony of life.

— J.M.



The new Mr. and Mrs. Cravens

C. Nipps becomes bride of Keith Cravens

Candace Nipps, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. John Holcombe of Sierra Madre, and Keith Cravens, son of Mr. and Mrs. Richard Cravens of Monrovia were married June 20 at Church of the Transfiguration, Arcadia. The double ring ceremony was performed at noon by Father William Daum.

The bride chose a gown of ivory lace over apricot satin and wore a large picture hat. She carried white roses with blue and apricot accents.

Kimberly Rogers, sister of the bride, Sierra Madre, was matron of honor. Bridesmaids were Shawna Crook, Kelli Artinian, Terri Benze and Jillayne Fisher, all of Sierra Madre.

The groom's attendants were Jason Caputo, Monrovia, best man; and ushers, Ivo Speckert, Glendora, Craig Nipps, brother of the bride and Dick Rogers, both of Sierra Madre, and John Caputo, Mira Loma.

Cindy Burrows of Sierra Madre had charge of the guest book.

Mother of the bride chose a brown and apricot silk dress and carried apricot-colored roses.

The reception for 150 guests was held in the bride's parents' garden in Sierra Madre. The colors peach and blue were carried out in both the wedding and reception.

Both the bride and groom are graduates of Pasadena High School.

After a honeymoon to Yosemite the newlyweds are making their home in Sierra Madre.

First national trial for corneal transplants

The first national trial for high-risk corneal transplant patients is being conducted at the only center of its kind in the West Coast, the Doheny Eye Institute. The National Institutes of Health (NIH) has funded the Collaborative Corneal Transplantation Studies (CCTS), with six major university transplant centers participating.

National Chairman Walter J. Stark, M.D. of the Wilmer Institute, Johns Hopkins University School of Medicine, is in Los Angeles to conduct a site visit at Doheny and to check on the progress of the trial.

The principal investigator of the study at the USC-Doheny Eye Institute is Ronald E. Smith, M.D. He is supported by: Executive Director Don Ward of the Lions Doheny Eye Bank; Administrator Betsy Crowl of the Loma Linda Eye and Tissue Bank; Executive Director Merle Wingate of the Orange County Eye and Tissue Bank; and Director Paul Terasaki, Ph.D. of the UCLA Tissue Typing Laboratory.

Over 28,000 corneal transplants are performed yearly in the U.S. However, about 20 percent of these, or 5600, will fail due to rejection. Although the cause of corneal transplant rejection is not known, it has been theorized that tissue matching for donor-recipient compatibility prior to transplantation, as is done in kidney and heart transplantation, may improve the outcome in high-risk corneal transplant recipients.

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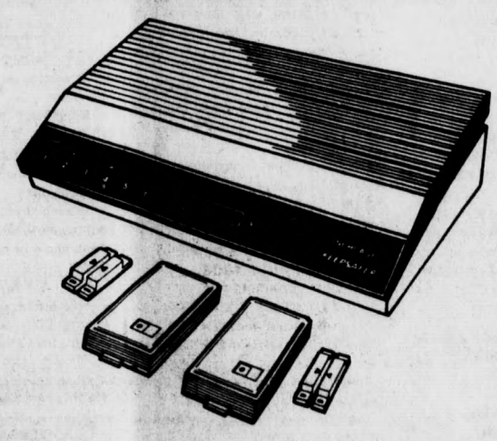
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Solo ballooning

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Successful hunts

Prehistoric hunters probably used cave paintings of animals in rites intended to help them successfully hunt the animals.

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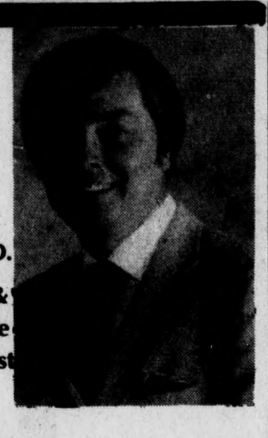
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Have you ever walked into a room where people were laughing and immediately suspected that they were snickering at you. Many of us have experiences like this. It can happen on occasions when things are not going well and we blame ourselves, times when we feel insecure and low in self-esteem.

At these moments we are particularly vulnerable to criticism. And this is especially so if we see ourselves as looking foolish or inane. Sometimes we project these feelings onto others and come to believe that people see us the way we momentarily see ourselves. We tend to find ridicule in the slightest gesture during these sensitive periods.

The tragedy for some in these situations is that they act on their suspicions, i.e., behave as though people really were laughing at them. Their behavior can range from acting aloof and disinterested in others to leaving the room in a sulking manner or even to outright violence.

At minimum, their conduct seems odd to the others in the room whose mirth was really about something else. The others may even begin to laugh at the strange actions they are witnessing. Unfortunately, this serves to support the original suspicion and adds to the individual's feeling of inadequacy.

When you know you have a tendency to think this way you can more readily modify your thoughts. To help yourself, focus on your positive attributes. Think about the qualities that you admire in yourself or the characteristics that others have told you they like about you. Doing this can build self-esteem and may reverse the process that probably got you down in the first place. And don't try to read people's minds. At these vulnerable moments your judgments about other peoples' thoughts are more likely to be inaccurate. Sometimes our perceptions are influenced by our beliefs or mental state. In other words, we see what we expect to see. We are capable of making sound and persuasive cases for almost anything and can sincerely convince ourselves of the most absurd notions.

Keep your kids out of way of mail trucks

In continuing effort to avoid injuries to children, especially during the summer months when school is out, the U.S. Postal Service is seeking community support for its Postal Vehicle Awareness Program.

William G. Jackson, general manager/postmaster for the Postal Service's Van Nuys Division (in which Pasadena is included), is urging that community members take the following precautions:

- Do not let children ride bicycles near postal vehicles, nor play on or near postal vehicles, including those which are parked while letter carriers are delivering mail.
- Postal customers who have curbside delivery or centralized delivery units should make certain that children wait until after the letter carrier has driven the postal vehicle away before taking delivered mail out of the mailbox. In haste, or excitement, children could slip into the path of, or under, the moving vehicle.
- If a toddler accompanies someone to a curbside mailbox, be sure that the toddler does not wander in the vicinity of the postal delivery vehicle. Holding on to a toddler's hand is the best assurance for safety.
- Do not park private vehicles or place obstructions in front of mailboxes, which could block the postal vehicle driver's view of children playing in the area.

"Our letter carriers have been trained to be cautious and watchful for children on their mail routes. However, we want the cooperation of all communities to help avoid the pain, suffering, and heartbreak that could otherwise become a reality without an increased awareness of possible vehicle accidents," said Jackson.

Teigler daughter arrives for visit

Katherine Scheffler, daughter of Karl and Ruth Teigler of Sierra Madre, was to arrive today to attend her 20th reunion of Pasadena High School.

Scheffler was active in Rainbow Girls in Arcadia and went to UC Santa Barbara for three years. She graduated from Marymount.

Her husband, James M. Scheffler, just received his Medical Doctor Degree at the University of New York and just began his residency at Dartmouth.



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FICTITIOUS BUSINESS NAME STATEMENT**

The following person is doing business as:
SYCAMORE RECORDS (company), 320 N. Sycamore Pl., Sierra Madre, CA 91024.
Robert Karl Vogel, 320 N. Sycamore Pl., Sierra Madre, CA 91024.
This business is conducted by an individual.
The registrant commenced to transact business under the fictitous name or names listed above on 4/1/87.
Signed, Robert K. Vogel
This statement was filed with the County Clerk of Los Angeles County on date indicated by file stamp above.
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FICTITIOUS BUSINESS NAME STATEMENT**

The following persons are doing business as:
210 WEST RECORDS, 424 E. Walnut, Monrovia, CA 91016.
Lisha D'Neille Singleton, 424 E. Walnut, Monrovia, CA 91016.
James Michael Cravens, 608 Parker, Monrovia, CA 91016.
This business is conducted by: a general partnership.
The registrant commenced to transact busines under the fictitious business name or names listed above on May 1, 1987.
Signed, Lisha Singleton
This statement was filed with the County Clerk of Los Angeles County on date indicated by file stamp above.
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FICTITIOUS BUSINESS NAME STATEMENT**

The following person is doing business as:
EMILIE SPARKS GRAPHIC DESIGN, 187 W. Montecito Ave., Sierra Madre, CA 91024.
Emilie Vensel Sparks, 187 W. Montecito Ave., Sierra Madre, CA 91024.
This business is conducted by: an individual.
The registrant commenced to transact business under the fictitious business name or names listed above on 6/8/87.
Signed, Emilie Sparks
This statement was filed with the County Clerk of Los Angeles County on date indicated by file stamp above.
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FICTITIOUS BUSINESS NAME STATEMENT**

The following persons are doing business as:
SMITH EIKREM INVESTMENTS, 400 North Santa Anita Avenue, #103, Arcadia, California 91006.
John Paul Eikrem, 22314 Canones Circle, Saugus, California 91350.
David Lee Smith, 232 Grace Drive, South Pasadena, California 91030.
This business is conducted by: a general partnership.
The registrant commenced to transact business under the fictitious business name or names listed above on May 1, 1987.
Signed, John P. Eikrem
This statement was filed with the County Clerk of Los Angeles County on date indicated by file stamp above.
(June 16, 1987)
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**SIERRA MADRE NEWS
PUBLIC NOTICE
8212336
STATEMENT OF ABANDONMENT OF USE OF FICTITIOUS BUSINESS NAME**

The following persons have abandoned the use of the fictitious business name:
MONROVIA AUTOMOTIVE SERVICE, 309 W. Duarte Road, Monrovia, CA 91016.
The fictitious business name referred to above was filed on February 23, 1982 in the County of Los Angeles. Original File No. 8212336.
William E. Latourelle, 1251 Oak Ridge Drive. La Verne, CA 91750.
This business was conducted by an individual.
Signed, William E. Latourelle.
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**SIERRA MADRE NEWS
PUBLIC NOTICE
87047944
FICTITIOUS BUSINESS NAME STATEMENT**

The following person is doing business as:
THE POOL CLEANER, 1117 E. Doran Avenue, Glendale, CA 91026.
Paul Delisi, 1117 E. Doran Avenue, Glendale, CA 91026.
This business is conducted by: an individual.
The registrant commenced to transact business under the fictitious business name or names listed above on 6/19/87.
Signed, Paul Delisi
This statement was filed with the County Clerk of Los Angeles County on date indicated by file stamp above.
(June 26, 1987)
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**SIERRA MADRE NEWS
PUBLIC NOTICE
NEC 51619
IN PROPRIA PERSONA
SUPERIOR COURT OF THE STATE OF CALIFORNIA
FOR THE COUNTY OF LOS ANGELES**

In re LEAH REBECCAH MORLAN
a Minor, by RENEE BELLEMEUR
No. NEC 51619
ORDER TO SHOW CAUSE FOR CHANGE OF NAME

Whereas, the petition of Renee Bellemeur, as parent of applicant Leah Rebecca Morlan, a minor, has been filed with the clerk of this court for an order changing Applicant's name from Leah Rebecca Morlan to Leah Rebecca Thomson.

IT IS HEREBY ORDERED that all persons interested in said matter appear before this court at August 21, 1987, in the courtroom of dept. B, 9 a.m. to show cause why this application for change of name should not be granted.

IT IS FURTHER ORDERED that a copy of this order to show cause be published once a week for four successive weeks prior to the day of said hearing in Sierra Madre News, a newspaper of general circulation printed in the County of Los Angeles.

Dated: July 6, 1987
Robert M. Old
Judge of the Superior Court
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**SIERRA MADRE NEWS
PUBLIC NOTICE
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FICTITIOUS BUSINESS NAME STATEMENT**

The following person is doing business as:
SWEENEY SEWER AND DRAIN CLEANING SERVICE, 78 W. Olive Ave., Sierra Madre, CA 91024.
This business is conducted by: an individual.
The registrant commenced to transact business under the fictitious business name or names listed above on 6/9/87.
Signed, John D. Sweeney
This statement was filed with the County Clerk of Los Angeles County on date indicated by file stamp above.
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**SIERRA MADRE NEWS
PUBLIC NOTICE
87042125
FICTITIOUS BUSINESS NAME STATEMENT**

The following person is doing business as:
PASSPORT PRODUCTIONS, 82 E. Sierra Madre Blvd., Sierra Madre, CA 91024.
This business is conducted by: an individual.
The registrant commenced to transact business under the fictitious business name or names listed above on 5/27/87.
Signed, William G. Smith
This statement was filed with the County Clerk of Los Angeles County on date indicated by file stamp above.
(June 3, 1987)
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Notice of Death of NELLIE MILLAR BURKHALTER, aka Nellie Burkhalter and of Petition to Administer Estate No. NEP32908

To all heirs, beneficiaries, creditors and contingent creditors and persons who may be otherwise interested in the will or estate of: Nellie Millar Burkhalter, aka Nellie Burkhalter.

A petition has been filed by Bruce A. MacFarlane in the Superior Court of Los Angeles County requesting that Bruce A. MacFarlane be appointed as personal representative to administer the estate of the decedent.

The petition requests authority to administer the estate under the Independent Administration of Estates Act.

A hearing on the petition will be held on **August 7, 1987**, at 10:00 a.m., Dept. A, at 300 East Walnut Street, Pasadena, California 91101.

IF YOU OBJECT to the granting of the petition, you should either appear at the hearing and state your objections or file written objections with the court before the hearing. Your appearance may be in person or by your attorney.

IF YOU ARE A CREDITOR or a contingent creditor of the deceased, you must file your claim with the court or present it to the personal representative appointed by the court within four months from the date of first issuance of letters as provided in Section 700 of the California Probate Code. The time for filing claims will not expire prior to four months from the date of the hearing noticed above.

YOU MAY EXAMINE the file kept by the court. If you are interested in the estate, you may serve upon the executor or administrator, or upon the attorney for the executor or administrator, and file with the court with proof of service, a written request stating that you desire special notice of the filing of an inventory and appraisement of estate assets or of the petitions or accounts mentioned in Section 1200 and 1200.5 of the California Probate Code.

PATTEN, FAITH & SANDFORD, Attorneys-at-Law, 635 West Foothill Boulevard, Monrovia, California 91016.
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**SIERRA MADRE NEWS
PUBLIC NOTICE
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NOTICE OF TRUSTEE'S SALE
TRUSTEE SALE NO. 87-4090**

YOU ARE IN DEFAULT UNDER A DEED OF TRUST DATED 11/2/81 UNLESS YOU TAKE ACTION TO PROTECT YOUR PROPERTY, IT MAY BE SOLD AT A PUBLIC SALE. IF YOU NEED AN EXPLANATION OF THE NATURE OF THE PROCEEDINGS AGAINST YOU, YOU SHOULD CONTACT A LAWYER.

On 8/6/87 at 11:15 Wes Pac Reconveyance as the duly appointed Trustee under and pursuant to Deed of Trust. Recorded on 12/15/81 as Document no. 81-1227769. Of Official Records in the office of the Recorder of Los Angeles County, California, executed by: REX H. NATH, A SINGLE MAN WILL SELL AT PUBLIC AUCTION TO THE HIGHEST BIDDER FOR CASH, (payable at time of sale in lawful money of the United States) at MONEY OF THE United States) at THE FRONT ENTRANCE TO SUITE 201 (2nd floor) 1028 NORTH LAKE AVENUE, PASADENA, CA., all right, title and interest conveyed to and now held by it under said Deed of Trust in the property situated in said County, California, describing the land therein:

Those portions of lots 8 and 9 of Sierra Madre tract, in the city of Sierra Madre, County of Los Angeles, State of California, as per map recorded in book 4 page 502 of miscellaneous records, in the office of the county recorder of said county, described as follows:

Beginning at the southwest corner of said lot 9 in the north line of Orange Grove Avenue (formerly Live Oak Avenue) 50 feet wide; thence easterly along said north line 181. 61 feet; thence north along the center line of Rancho Road (formerly Norton Avenue) 60 feet wide, 475.38 feet to the true point of beginning; thence westerly parallel with said north line of Orange Grove Avenue 265.54 feet; thence northerly parallel with the center line of Rancho Road (formerly Norton Avenue) 160 feet; thence easterly parallel with the north line of Orange Grove Avenue 265.54 feet to said center line; thence southerly 160 feet to the true point of beginning.

Except therefrom the east 30 feet in Norton Avenue.

The street address and other common designation, if any, of the real property described above is purported to be: 197 RANCHO ROAD, SIERRA MADRE, CA., 91024.

The undersigned Trustee disclaims any liability for any incorrectness of the street address and other common designation, if any, shown herein.

Said sale will be made but without covenant or warranty, express or implied, regarding title, possession, or encumbrances, to pay the remaining principal sum of the note secured by said Deed of Trust, with interest thereon, as provided in said note(s), advances, if any, under the terms of the Deed of Trust, fees, charges and expenses of the Trustee and of the trusts created by said Deed of Trust, to-wit: $134,096.81.

The beneficiary under said Deed of Trust heretofore executed and delivered to the undersigned a written Declaration of Default and Demand for Sale, and a written Notice of Default and Election to Sell. The undersigned caused said Notice of Default and Election to Sell to be recorded in the county where the real property is located.

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PUBLIC NOTICE
87050089
FICTITIOUS BUSINESS NAME STATEMENT**

The following persons are doing business as:
R & R RESTORATIONS AND PAINTING, 151 Grand, Monrovia, CA 91016.
Ronald Steven Watson, 151 Grand, Monrovia, CA 91016. Roberta Ellen Watson, 151 Grand, Monrovia, CA 91016.
This business is conducted by husband and wife.
The registrants commenced to transact business under the fictitious business name or names listed above on NA.
Signed, Ronald S. Watson, Roberta E. Watson
This statement was filed with the County Clerk of Los Angeles County on date indicated by file stamp above.
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**SIERRA MADRE NEWS
PUBLIC NOTICE
87050092
FICTITIOUS BUSINESS NAME STATEMENT**

The following persons are doing business as:
AMBASSADOR WINDOW CLEANING COMPANY, 1440 Riviera Dr., Pasadena, CA 91101.
Robert Alan Johnson Jr., 1440 Riviera Dr., Pasadena, CA 91107. Jack Douglas Meier, 144 S. Hermosa, Sierra Madre, CA 91024.
The registrants commenced to transact business under the fictitious business name or names listed above on June 22, 1987.
Signed, Robert A. Johnson, Jack Douglas Meier.
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**SIERRA MADRE NEWS
PUBLIC NOTICE
87050068
FICTITIOUS BUSINESS NAME STATEMENT**

The following person is doing business as:
TOVAR TRUCKING COMPANY, 210 N. Beechwood #456, Rialto, CA 92376.
Elizabeth Tovar, 210 N. Beechwood #456, Rialto, CA 92376.
This business is conducted by: an individual.
The registrant commenced to transact business under the fictitious business name or names listed above on 1/1/87.
Signed, Elisabeth Tovar
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Let Elegant Awnings keep you in the shade

Elegant Awnings at 200 S. First Ave., Arcadia, features just what it says — "elegant awnings" — but much more, also.

They have patio umbrellas, patio covers, furniture, barbecues and many shades and blinds imported from Europe.

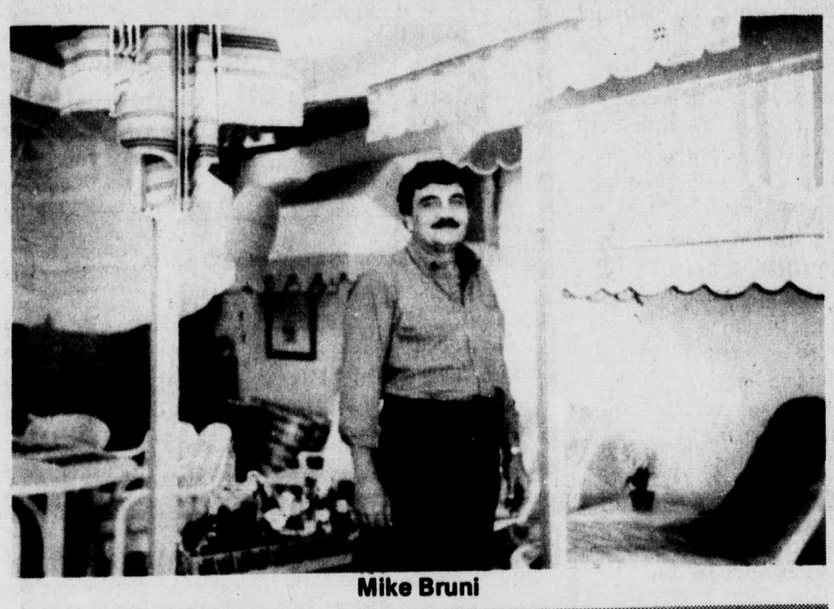
Their business card reads, "We're not the only Awning Company — Just the best." Their quality is best described by their products.

Mike Bruni is the owner of the store and Dona Bruni is office manager, Mike Chiovare is installer.

The work is customized and installed by appointment at homes or businesses of those who wish the product. They feature light and bright hues and excellent workmanship.

The store, Elegant Awnings, is open daily from 9 a.m. to 5 p.m. weekdays, 9 a.m. to noon on Saturdays.

For all your patio needs, stop at Elegant Awnings first. They are located at 200 S. First Ave. and their phone number is 445-6072.



Mike Bruni



Lyn Bowen

Bowen chairs Assisteens

Lyn Bowen became chairman of Arcadia Assisteens, an auxiliary of Assistance League of Arcadia, at an installation luncheon held at the Valley Hunt Club in Pasadena.

Bowen, who will be a senior at Arcadia High next year, has served Assisteens as ways and means chairman which put her in charge of staffing the Bargain Box on assigned Saturdays, the poinsettia and toy sale at Christmas time.

At Arcadia High she is involved with the yearbook staff where she has been a section editor and will be the layout and design editor for the 1988 edition.

Jo Ann Scott, president of Assistance League of Arcadia, installed the Assisteen board which included Julie Thinger, vice-chairman; Jenny Schube, recording secretary; Carey Windsor, corresponding secretary; Lauren Englund, treasurer; Ashleigh Robertson, projects with Anne DeWitt as co-chair; Heather Gilchriest, ways and means; Caryn Sivas, social; and Kim Woods, historian and publicity.

Under the direction of Patti Thinger, Assisteen coordinator, the service organization was involved with projects for Haven House, Arcadia Convalescent Hospital and Foothill Developmental School. They also made treats for the Arcadia senior citizens and the campership program.

National Assistance League charms were presented with a pearl for their completion of 30 hours of service throughout the year were Becky Archibald, Jennifer Daleo, Keri Paxson, Tricia Stonecipher and Katie Woods.

New provisionals include Lisa Bulen, Janine Orsi and Cathryn Valentine.

Annual baby show

The Arcadia Recreation Department will be sponsoring its 18th Annual Baby Show today, Thursday, July 16, at Eisenhower Park, on the corner of Second Avenue and Colorado Blvd. in Arcadias. Registration will begin at 9:30 a.m., prior to the judging at 10 a.m. There is no pre-registration. The contest is limited to Arcadia residents or to children who reside within the Arcadia Unified School District.

Children must be at least six months of age and may not have reached their third birthday. Babies will be placed in their division according to their age on the date of the contest. Each baby in the show must be attended by an adult. The divisions for Boys and Girls are: six months to first birthday; one year and one day to second birthday; and two years and one day to third birthday.

First ambulance

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Singles seminar

The Single Adult Fellowship of Arcadia Presbyterian Church, 121 Alice Street, Arcadia will host a seminar entitled, "Benefits of Forgetting Yourself" on Sunday, July 26, at 10:30 a.m. in the church Fellowship Lounge.

Singles discuss right decisions

The Single Adult Fellowship of Arcadia Presbyterian Church will sponsor a presentation entitled "Making Right Decisions" on Sunday, July 19, at 10:30 a.m. in the church Fellowship Lounge, 121 Alice Street, Arcadia.

Single adults of all ages and marital status are welcome to attend. No charge.

Courses for new parents

Methodist Hospital has a bimonthly class for new mothers titled "Bouncing Back After Delivery" that offers tips on breast-feeding, diet, exercise, chasing away the "blues" and coping with the stress of being a new parent.

The next sessions are scheduled for Monday, Aug. 10 from 7 p.m. to 8:30 p.m. and Saturday, Aug. 28 from 10 to 11:30 a.m.

Pre-registration is required. This course is offered free of charge. Contact the Department of Education at (818) 574-3474 for more information.

Improvement course for senior drivers

A mature driver improvement course for California drivers 55 or over, qualifying them for reduced insurance premiums, will be available through driver improvement schools after July 1, according to the Department of Motor Vehicles.

Course curriculum is being developed now to support Assembly Bill 2610, which requires DMV, "to establish standards and develop criteria for. . .a mature driver improvement course specifically designed for the safe driving needs of drivers 55 years of age or older."

The training and certification process will be conducted by driver improvement schools approved and monitored by DMV, and will begin no earlier than July 1.

The bill, authored by Assemblyman Richard Katz, provides that mature drivers successfully completing the course receive a certificate from the school to use as evidence to obtain up to 3 years of reduced motor vehicle liability insurance.

Individual insurers may reduce premiums based on actuarial and loss experience data available to them. Mature drivers will be able to reestablish eligibility every 3 years upon successful completion of another driver improvement course.

Driver improvement schools will provide not less than 6 hours and 40 minutes of instruction and charge no more than $20 per student. Subjects to be taught include:

- The effects of fatigue, medications and alcohol on driving performance.
- Update on rules of the road and equipment, including efficient driving techniques under present day road and traffic conditions.
- How to plan travel time and select routes for safety and efficiency.
- How to make crucial decisions in dangerous, hazardous, and unforseen situations.
- How impairment of visual and audio perception affects driving performance and how to compensate for that impairment.

Hints for hay fever sufferers

Up to 40 million Americans suffer from hay fever and as many as half that number are afflicted with its symptoms throughout the year, according to the American Lung Association of Los Angeles County.

Seasonal hay fever which is fast approaching its zenith, occurs only during the spring, summer, and early fall months when pollen is in the air. Perennial hay fever, however, is a year-round sensitivity to a myriad of other airborne particles, many commonly found in the home or workplace. In either case, sufferers share typical symptoms in reaction to hay fever — sniffles, a running nose, teary and itching eyes, uncontrollable sneezing, nasal stuffiness, and a tickly nose.

For sufferers of perennial hay fever, the situation is more complex. As a rule of thumb, it's good adivce to keep the house clean and well dusted to prevent the growth of allergy-producing molds. Air purifiers may be of help, along with some practices that minimize indoor hay fever attacks:

- In humid weather, use a dehumidifier.
- Don't smoke and ask others not to smoke in your home or office.
- Avoid rugs, feather pillows, and fabric curtains.
- Store paints, cleaning fluids, and other chemicals should be kept away from the living area.
- Keep ventilation ducts clean.
- Do not keep a pet if you or other household members are allergic to it.

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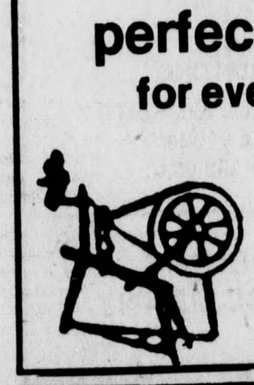
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Hot weather = perspiration = deodorants. Sunburn = lotions = cosmetics stains. Ice cream = melting = food stains. Iced drinks = spilling = tannin stains.

Clothes really take a beating in the good old summertime!

All the above happens and all the resulting problems occur.

These suggestions can save clothes and money.

With deodorants . . . apply, let dry, wipe off with a damp cloth. That removes the surplus deodorant or anti-perspirant so fabric damage is less likely when deodorants or anti-perspirants are worn. Clean these clothes soon after using.

Cosmetics . . . use care in applying. Have the stained clothes cleaned as soon as possible before heat and age set the stains permanently. because of their contents, they can damage dye as well as fabrics.

Ice cream and other food stains should be handled soon for the same reason as cosmetics and also because moths love food stains.

Iced drinks, or hot . . . tea and coffee are tannin stains. Others, soft drinks, alcoholic beverages, etc., have different combinations of ingredients but all should be removed as soon as possible after staining to prevent permanent damage.

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VICTORS OF SAN GABRIEL VALLEY RANCHO COLT LEAGUE — Shown are the Sierra Madre Colt Team, the winners of the San Gabriel Valley Rancho Colt League and they include, front row: Dave Arden, coach; David Loera, Steve Vlcek, John McCoy, Alex Guerro and Jeff Sorenson. Second row: Jim Doolittle, coach; Ron Farmer, Kraig Pakulski, Pat Larson, Paul Walleck, Gary Vlcek, Shawn Garrison, Alan Tierney, Craig Doolittle, Mike Hagen, John Busarello, Taj McDonald, Jason Trotter, Tim Quillen and Manager Ron Schwartz.

Christine Romero awarded All-American volleyball

Christine Romero, Monrovia, daughter of Jesse and Sylvia Romero, both who live in Monrovia, was awarded first team All-American in the Junior Olympics girls volleyball competition in Albuquerque, N.M. recently.

In the tournament of 52 teams she was chosen one of the two outside hitters in the United States. She is one out of six volleyball winners in the country.

Christine was Athlete of the Year at Immaculate Conception Grammar School and is now attending Bishop-Amat. She was on the drill team and in all sports in elementary school. She played varsity volleyball in her first year at Bishop.

Christine's father is a 5th grade teacher at Euclid Elementary School in E. Los Angeles. Her mother has a day care center at her home.

The volleyball star has two brothers and a sister. Brother Jesse plays football at Bishop Amat.

Business courses at Cal State

"Starting and Incorporating Your Business" is a half-day seminar offered Wednesday, July 29, 1 p.m. to 4 p.m. at California State University, Los Angeles, Salazar Hall C163. Registration fee is $30.

"How To Start and Develop A Successful Home-Based Business" is a half-day seminar scheduled for Wednesday, July 29, 9 a.m. to noon at California State. Registration fee is $30.

"How To Start and Develop A Successful Mail Order Business" is a one-day workshop offered Thursday, July 30, 9 a.m to 4 p.m. at California State with a registration fee of $50. To register for these call (213) 224-3501, Continuing Education.

Dodger tickets now on sale

Dodger tickets for Aug. 7 Sierra Madre Dodger Night, are now on sale at City Hall. Cost is $6 for ticket only and $10 for ticket and bus transportation.

L.A. Dodgers vs Atlanta Braves is scheduled for Friday, Aug. 7 at 7:35 p.m. at Dodger Stadium. The bus leaves Community Recreation Center, 611 E. Sierra Madre Blvd., at 5:30 p.m. and returns at 11:30 p.m.

For more information call City Hall at 355-7135.

Special computer keyboard available

According to the Easter Seal Society, special computer keyboards are available for people with disabilities who are unable to use conventional keyboards. The keyboard, called "Dreamer," provides single-keystroke access to multiple-keystroke functions for popular I.B.M. PC programs and is manufactured by T. S. Microtech, Inc. in Hawthorne.

For information about the Dreamer keyboard, call or write the Easter Seal Society, 209 East Alameda Avenue, Suite 102, Burbank, California 91502, (818) 848-5999.

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Senior Citizens Club meets every Saturday at 11 a.m. throughout the year at Senior Citizen Center, Memorial Park.

Free blood pressure clinic at St. Rita's O'Malley Hall, 9:30 to 11:30 a.m., primarily, but not exclusively, for senior citizens. Clinic held last Monday of every month.

The Sierra Madre Garden Club meets on the 2nd Monday of every month, at the Masonic Temple, 6:30 p.m.

Sierra Madre Recycling Center will be run and profit the Sierra Madre recreational staff during the weeks of July 6, 13 and 20.

Thurs., July 16
Planning Commission, 7:30 p.m., council chambers.

Fri., July 17
"Trip to the Zoo" sponsored by Library. From Rec Center, 9 a.m.

Mon., July 20
Parks and Recreation Commission, 7:30 p.m., council chambers.

Tues., July 21
Sierra Madre City Council meeting, 6:30 p.m. in the council chamber.

Wed., July 22
Family Film Festival, Sierra Madre Public Library, 7 - 8 p.m.

Thurs., July 23
Sierra Madre Planning Commission meeting, 7:30 p.m., in the council chambers.

Sun., July 26
Shellraiser. Community summer party to benefit new band shell. Entertainment, barbershop singing, Sierra Madre College Band, drawing for prizes, box lunches, ice cream, and more. Bandshell pins and 4th of July T-shirts will be available. 4 - 7 p.m. Info 355-5111.

Mon., July 27
Rose Float Association meeting, 8 p.m., City Hall. Everyone is welcome.

Wed., July 29
Family Film Festival, Sierra Madre Public Library, 7 - 8 p.m.

Sat., Aug. 1
One day book sale, Sierra Madre Library basement. Lots of records, intermediate and adult books. 355-7186 for times.

Tues., Aug. 4
Cultural Heritage Commission, 7:30 p.m., council chambers.

Thurs., Aug. 6
Commission on Aging, Inc., 3 p.m., council chambers.

Fri., Aug. 7
Sierra Madre Dodger Night. Call Rec Dept. for details. 355-7135.

Mon., Aug. 10
Sierra Madre Garden Club will have a picnic in the park, 6:30 p.m.

Tues., Aug. 11
Sierra Madre City Council meeting, 6:30 p.m. in the council chambers.

Mon., Aug. 17
Parks and Recreation Commission, 7:30 p.m., council chambers.

Thurs., Aug. 20
Planning Commission, 7:30 p.m., council chambers.

Tues., Aug. 25
Sierra Madre City Council meeting, 6:30 p.m. in the council chambers.

Tues., Sept. 8
Sierra Madre City Council meeting, 6:30 p.m., council chambers.

Tues., Sept. 22
Sierra Madre City Council meeting, 6:30 p.m., council chambers.

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